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Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1922, the said Frank P. Drew was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the Referee, No. 49 Market Square, South Paris, Maine, on the 22d day of Nov., A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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AMONG THE FARMERS.

"SPEED THE PLOW."

Chicken Pie.

"When the rooster is needed
He's sure needed bad;
For the flock needs a crow-er
And also a dad.
But when he's not needed
'Tis wisdom to hie
His roostership into
A plump chicken pie."

Woodford 500,000.

In a recent issue, an article on Aristocratic Cattle, meaning Kentucky Herefords, was published and this article is a continuation of the account, with especial reference to Woodford 500,000, head of this remarkable herd.

In the case of Woodford 500,000, his potential value at the time of his death was estimated to be $200,000. When he died the event was of sufficient importance to be sent as news throughout the world. His body was casketed in a manner appropriate to his qualities and his fame, and buried beneath a big tree in the front lawn of the mansion house on Hereford Farms. A slab of finest marble, big enough to cover the grave, and deeply carved with the name of Woodford 500,000, a list of the prizes he won, followed by the main events in his life, will shortly be erected with ceremonies, and in the presence of dignitaries similar to those that attend unveiling a monument to any dead.

"Woodford, the admiration of international Herefordom, is dead at seven years of age," the obituary of Woodford 500,000 begins. "Marked even from his very birth for distinction . . . flying constantly at every step of his career the banners of distinguished individual destiny, he perished in majestic isolation on October 3, 1918, in the dead of the autumn night, enveloped in the giant flames which burned to the ground the magnificent barn Colonel Taylor had recently erected as a fitting home for him.

"Though Woodford is indeed dead at seven years, he passes in the fullness of fame—a fame that reaches from the Blue Grass to the pastures of the Wye and the Severn; from his native country to the land in which the breed first struggled for that type which has come into its own in America, and found in him its noblest expression.

"Bulls are noted for this virtue or that. Woodford seemed beyond faulting. No artist could improve upon his head and neck. His strong back and loins and rump were as smooth as could be produced by the chisel of a sculptor. The white upon his head and crest and bosom was like silk. His horns were perfect, and combined grace and beauty that fascinated with a masculinity that dominated his whole tremendous impressiveness. He was a bovine Apollo, worthy of the honor which has been accorded him by the agricultural colleges of the country that have his picture hanging upon their walls.

"Woodford, the wonderful, is gone. Lord Wilton hails him on the Stygian beach. Anxiety 4th raises his head in the Elysian fields to greet his peer. The Grove 3d and Garfield gaze on his majestic form and feel his brotherhood. Sir Bartle Frere and Fowler and the mighty group make room for him in friendly comfort, for Woodford has joined those marvelous makers of the breed in the untroubled meadows of eternal fame."

Homes of cattle families are dramatic contrasts. That is to say, things very old, and characteristically Blue Grass—yet, for the most part dapper—neighbor it with things so modern that the exuberance of their youth beside sedateness hits you a sharp blow in the eye; for instance, the stone fences.

Before the war between the states, the spare time of slaves was taken up by gathering from Blue-Grass fields flat pieces of rock—not bowlders—averaging, if they were exactly squared, a foot to 18 inches on any side, and ranging from an inch to four and five inches in thickness. These pieces of rock were laid flat on one another in a row two or three feet wide, and about waist high to a man of ordinary stature. Surmounting this row, flat rock pieces were piled diagonally, thus making a fence. These fences are typical of the Blue-Grass country. They mark the boundaries of estates there, and divide them into pastures and cultivated lands. Near Danville is a stone fence of this kind that is unbroken, except by gateways, in a distance of seven miles. No binder, such as cement, or mortar, was placed between the rock pieces, but so carefully were these fences put together that only within the past few years have they begun to deteriorate.

Hereford Farms is an estate of 2,200 acres, made up of 13 smaller farms purchased from various owners. The stone fences separating and dividing them were preserved in the original wherever this was possible. In other places the fences were rebuilt, the rock pieces bound with cement, and the joints pointed with mortar.

Entrance to the farms from the pike is between high stone pillars, another Blue-Grass characteristic that is slipping slowly into oblivion. Time was when pillars were at the entrance to every Blue-Grass farm, because they meant its owner and his family were "folks," even though the pillars were insignificant piles of stone. But even on Hereford Farms, stone fences end abruptly in places and wire fences pick up the boundary lines, and follow them.

Hereford Farms resemble the all-height structures of a modern city. There are hills, and little rises, and deep valleys, but there are no raw places. Rich blue grass capsules the crudities. Springs are the headwaters of innumerable brooks. Macadamized roads ribbon the green surface of the farms. Clumps of wild flowers appear, wave a high colored welcome, and are gone as you ride along these roads. Where nature is handicapped, what might be unsightliness is masked by the work of Colonel Taylor. An instance: On the boulevard, which is Blue Grass, talk for the roadway leading from the pike to the mansion house on any farm, is a stone bridge over a brook. With the exception of the ends of its stone pillars this bridge is hidden beneath trailing rose bushes, as carefully looked after as if they were on the lawn of "Thistleton," the Colonel's home near Frankfort. Relieving the monotony of green smoothness are little natural forests, and groups of nut-bearing trees, planted to provide shade for the Woodfords. The soft-tone red and white of Hereford groups is the last touch to the panorama.

Barns are placed in advantageous places. The interior of these barns are divided into roomy box stalls for the matrons and their calves.

There are concrete bathing tanks near the barns, and each pasture is provided with water tanks, so that the cattle take no chances drinking from flowing streams. Water is pumped from the springs to these tanks.

The Woodfords are not dairy cattle. Their members are bought to improve range herds and other herds in this country and abroad. When a calf is born, it is turned over to a nurse cow as soon as possible, and after that time the mother's milk supply is reduced, and soon ceases. In other words, Hereford Farms is devoted exclusively to the production of cattle that upbuild the breed.

Farmers' Lot Hard.

The farmer seems to be the goat of deflation not only in our country but all over the world.

London Daily Mail says: "Although farm sales this Michaelmas are seeing a slight downward tendency in the prices of implements, utensils, wagons, harness and the like, the fall is far outpaced by the slump in the market values of produce, and that is at the bottom of the agricultural crisis."

Maybe an international league of farmers is needed more than a league of politicians.

District Meeting of Milk Producers.

Every dairy farmer in this section is invited to attend the Oxford District meeting of the New England Milk Producers' Association to be held Wednesday, Nov. 22, at 10:30 A. M. in Paris Grange Hall. The District President, D. A. Bisbee of Canton, was present at the special meeting of the New England Milk Producers' Association, November 8th and will report at the District meeting on the New England wide marketing plan which is now about to take the next step. Harry L. Piper, publicity manager, will also be present to explain the workings of the new plan and its relation to the New England Milk Producers' Association. This is a highly important meeting and it is the business of every dairy farmer to be present and get the first hand information about the plan which it is expected will, in a few years, give the dairy farmers of New England complete control of their business.

The report of the special committee on the marketing plan differed materially from what was generally expected, but met with complete satisfaction on the part of the district presidents. The plan which was recommended was the bringing together of the existing co-operative agencies for handling milk as the first step in the consolidation of the producers' interests throughout New England. Farmers who now sell through co-operative organizations are competing with one another in the market. If they can be brought together they will form the largest single dealer in milk in New England and the disastrous effects of competition among themselves will be eliminated. The committee recommends this simply as a first step and it is the general expectation that this combined co-operation will be so successful and will return to the farmers enough more than they are now getting for milk so that other farmers will desire to come in. It is prophesied by men who are familiar with the situation that in the course of a very few years the great majority of the milk producers of New England will be drawn into this great co-operative enterprise.

The New England Milk Producers' Association will not have any direct connection with this amalgamation of the co-operative organizations, but will lend all its resources to bring about the desired end. It is expected that for a number of years at least there will still be need of the New England Milk Producers' Association to serve as a stabilizer in the market and ensure a square deal for both producers and dealers. It is the intention of the N. E. M. P. A. to get the fundamental principle of the new marketing plan before its members at the earliest possible moment, this is in the District meeting with two speakers at least who are thoroughly familiar with the subject. It will be presented in a way which will give the farmers the fullest possible chance to understand it.

All farmers are invited to this meeting, although the voting power will be confined to delegates from the locals in this District. The locals in the district are as follows: Bethel, Bolster's Mills, Buckfield, Bryant's Pond, Canton, East Hebron, East Sumner, Fryeburg, Norway, Oxford and Otisfield, Peru, Rumford Center, South Paris, Waterford, West Paris, West Sumner.

Seed Potatoes.

E. L. Newdick of the Division of Plant Industry, Maine Department of Agriculture, has left for the Southern States in the interests of the Maine seed potato industry. Mr. Newdick goes as a representative of the State Agricultural Department, various seed potato associations, and the New England transportation lines. The first stop will be at Washington, D. C., for a conference with the United States officials in the Bureau of Plant Pathology. From there he will go to Texas and spend the necessary time in getting the facts on this market where Maine used to sell 750 cars a year. Of late the business here has been very small. From Texas Mr. Newdick will go across to Florida and then up the coast calling in all the important sections will be the program. It is proposed to call on brokers, receivers, county agents, experiment station workers and in fact all people who are interested in the seed potato industry and let them know how Maine stands and what the state is doing to build up a better seed business from this end.

For the last ten or twelve years Maine has lost steadily in the Southern seed trade and the object of the trip is to get all the information available as to why this is so. Other states have their representatives in this territory and it is hoped that in the future Maine will see to it that their own growers are represented. Reports have come into the state telling what was being done by other states in advertising their good seed and it is hoped that the Maine representative will learn from observation just what some of our short comings are in this direction.

Mr. Newdick is in charge of the seed certification work for the Maine Department of Agriculture and naturally comes in contact with the growing potato crop during the summer; beyond this, he has visited most of the truck potato houses in the large shipping centers in Aroostook County since digging time.

Burbank's Rival.

Luther Burbank's Russian rival, Ivan A. Mitshourin, a septuagenarian who works daily in his experimental garden near Kosloff, Tamboff government, Russia, despite his advanced years, is still turning out hybrid wonders in fruits, melons, nuts and vegetables.

Professor Mitshourin is well known in American horticultural societies, and many orchards in the United States are planted with the Mitshourin cherry. His garden now is full of trees, bushes and plants in various stages of experimental development. One of his latest achievements is a melon, a cross between a water melon and a canteloupe, which is oval in form and with a dark green striped rind, much harder than either of its parents.

The experimental field is full of trees bearing plums as large as ducks' eggs, black currants the size of grapes, and an extraordinary almond said to have been produced by crossing bitter almonds with some wild nut.

Some of the most extraordinary trees bear three kinds of fruit, apples crossed with pears; apples crossed with crab apples, and apples crossed with both apples—and pears, each species of fruit growing from one grafted branch properly pollenized.

Mitshourin is very modest. When asked whether he wanted any assistance from the government, he answered: "Nothing but the permission to keep a rifle to guard my garden."

Horseshoes.

Farmers, who have contributed more to the industry than anybody else, may be interested in the census figures regarding the making of horseshoes which indicate that the art may soon be lost. The motor vehicle is driving the iron shod horse out of business. Horses that pull plows or wagons through or over soft ground need no shoes. From 1919 to 1921 the number of horseshoe manufacturing establishments decreased from twenty to twelve; the number of persons engaged in the plants from 919 to 306, and the value of products turned out fell from $3,367,000 to $1,931,812.

World's Hen Record.

A world's record for egg laying was set in the third annual contest conducted by the western Washington experiment station of the Washington State College, it is announced by W. A. Linklater, superintendent of the station. The contest resulted in a white leghorn pullet, owned by H. M. Leathers of Woodland, Wash., laying 365 eggs with a day to go before the year expired.

It might be well for farmers to remember that if they have anything to say to a mule, say it to his face.

Director of Child Hygiene.

FORMER OXFORD COUNTY WOMAN IN SAN DIEGO.

The following article from the San Diego (Calif.) Union relates to the work in that city of Miss Mary H. Taylor, formerly of South Paris, who has been in San Diego for a number of years.

Mary Hart Taylor probably has saved more lives than any other single individual in San Diego. She gives no medicine, makes no spectacular rescues—in fact, is not one of the city's noted personages, but in the five years she has been here she has almost halved the infant death rate and has put San Diego third among the cities of its class in the United States in infant death rate. At least, that is the big job for which she has received the credit.

Seven days a week, sometimes 14 hours a day, Miss Taylor goes about her work of saving lives unheralded by trumpets or press agents. She tells mothers how to care for their babies. She gets no great reward for her work except the satisfaction of doing good, yet she is always radiating good humor and cheer. Occasionally when government statistics are issued showing the steady rapid improvement of the infant mortality rate here, and when the state public health publication makes mention of San Diego's success in caring for its babies, Miss Taylor is happier than ever and justly proud of her accomplishments here.

RATE DECREASES.

Early in 1916 Miss Taylor was made director of child hygiene under the health department of San Diego. It was a new step for the board of health—creation of a child hygiene department. From 1911 to 1915 official government figures issued by the American Child Hygiene Association showed the city to have an infant mortality rate of 96 per 1000. The figure out in 1917 for the year 1916 was 75. The figure for 1917 was 54. The years 1918 and 1919 could hardly be counted, as hundreds of babies died all over the country of influenza. The figures were 92 and 62, even then lower than the normal average before Miss Taylor came. In the figures issued recently for 1920 this city is third among cities of the country with population of from 50,000 to 100,000, with only 52 infant deaths in every thousand. The cities which excel San Diego are Tacoma and Berkley, with 37 and 45, respectively, but both of these cities had a "head start" on San Diego in establishing child hygiene department. Miss Taylor intends that this city shall head the list before long, and those who know her say that what she determines on usually comes true.

"How do I do it? Clinics and my milk station," says Miss Taylor. "Besides that I have two classes in taking care of baby sisters for little girls."

A well-babies' clinic from 1 o'clock to 4 every Thursday afternoon; a sick-babies' clinic from 4 o'clock on every Thursday afternoon; a county sick-babies' clinic from 10 o'clock until noon on Friday and another at the same hour on Tuesday; a pre-natal clinic from 1 o'clock until 2 every Tuesday afternoon. These are the classes Miss Taylor has in teaching mothers how to care for their babies. The well-babies' clinic was one of the first in the state to be established. Any mother in the city is welcomed to it for advice as to how to keep her child in good health. Mostly poor people take advantage of the sick-babies' clinic. The milk station of which Miss Taylor is the head is the city institution to furnish milk to mothers who are too poor to buy it for their babies. In addition Miss Taylor has two "little mothers" classes for little girls from 8 to 15 years of age, in which the girls are taught how to take care of their baby sisters and brothers, how to keep them clean and are shown germ experiments in the city laboratory and how milk is prepared in local milk plants.

The first clinic Miss Taylor established was attended by one Syrian woman, one Greek woman, one negress, one Mexican and one Swede. Now Miss Taylor estimates that she has 100 mothers a month in her five clinics.

HELP IN WORK.

Dr. Will Potter and Dr. J. M. McCall help Miss Taylor in her work. Every Thursday afternoon they "score" any babies who want it. "Scoring" is putting down numerous statistics regarding the baby's physical and mental condition, giving the baby an average percentage in each according to the official government rating, then taking the average of all the percentages. The baby then ranks 88 per cent, or 96 per cent, or some other figure, according to how it is getting along and any unusual hitch in its development is noted so that it can be cared for promptly. Each mother is also given a weight chart which is filled out every week by Miss Taylor. If the baby doesn't gain as it should according to government figures, its diet is changed.

During spare hours when there are no clinics, Miss Taylor visits the many homes all over the city in which there are babies needing special care. She says there is plenty of interest among the people of the city in her work and that doctors are always willing to help it along, but that not enough money is set aside by the city for it. Miss Taylor has to go from one end of the city to another in places far apart from each other in her work, yet she has no automobile. A machine, she says, would triple the amount of work she could be doing. But she is keeping at it at top speed every day, always cheery, always confident, saving the lives of San Diego's little babies.

Oxford County Notes.

L. E. McIntire was elected a member of the executive council of the Maine Dairymen's Association at their meeting in Lewiston last week.

Prof. William R. Chapman has decided to give at the next Maine Music Festival the famous Gounod opera "Faust." This opera was composed sixty years ago, founded on Goethe's German legend of the same name, and was first given in 1859. There are few, if any, operas more popular than "Faust." It will be presented with appropriate costumes and scenery. Chorus work will begin just as soon as the scores arrive.

Fifty years ago this month and there was a bitter presidential contest on, the candidates being General U. S. Grant and Horace Greeley. Party spirit ran high and expressed itself, for one way, in fantastic bets. As a result of the election David Farr of Welchville, this county, was required to drive a turkey through the principal street of the village of Mechanic Falls, adorned with Grant and Wilson flags. Another Welchville man, Davis Wood, for many years a prominent man in Oxford, wagered with Fayette Bicknell of the same village to wheel him from that hamlet to Lewiston in a hand barrow if Greeley was not elected.

One of the things which is likely to take a prominent place in the next legislature is the controversy over raising the water in Lake Kezar. The Pepperell Manufacturing Company of Biddeford wishes to raise the water of the lake by placing a dam in the outlet for the purpose of increasing the storage capacity of the Saco River. The shores of the lake are dotted with cottages and camps, and their owners think that if the water is raised it will spoil their summer homes, hence the opposition. These summer residents have engaged good legal talent to handle their side, and a manufacturing corporation can be relied upon to have as good lawyers as money can hire, so the prospect is for a lively battle.

SOUTH PARIS

Perley F. Ripley was in Bethel on business Monday.

F. B. Fogg was in Bethel one day last week on business.

Mrs. Arthur Dean of West Paris was in the village one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Paine and children were recent guests at Abel Andrews' in Albany.

Rev. J. L. Wilson expects to attend a meeting of the pastors of Oxford County Association to be held in East Hebron to-day (Tuesday).

Mrs. E. D. Peverley, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Campbell, in Mechanic Falls, returned to this village Wednesday.

All who are interested in the formation of a parent-teacher association are requested to meet at the brick school house this Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Shaw's Orchestra will play for the New Year's ball at Association hall, under the management of E. S. Jones, the proceeds of which are to go toward the support of the community nurse for another year.

G. H. Rankin of Hiram, who was one of the commission to make the new valuation for the town of Paris a couple of years ago, was in town Tuesday. He had been up in the big woods hunting, and had as a result of his sport two deer and fifteen partridges.

Howard Shaw and his orchestra are booked for the Knights of Pythias ball on Thanksgiving night at the Norway Opera House; also on Christmas afternoon and evening—a sunlight hop from 2:30 to 5:30 and a Christmas ball in the evening at the Norway Opera House.

Rodney Titcomb has sold his farm on Elm Hill to L. A. Brooks, and has purchased the Dr. Maxim farm in Hartford, with stock and tools. About thirty of the neighbors and friends gave Mr. and Mrs. Titcomb a farewell surprise party last Monday evening, which was a pleasant social affair.

George W. Frothingham, who some time since disposed of his business in Haverhill, Mass., has purchased the Herbert J. Libby store building and stock at Bryant's Pond, and expects to take possession the 23d. Mr. Libby, the former proprietor, died a few weeks since. Mr. Frothingham will keep a general stock of goods, probably making a specialty of boots and shoes.

Berton K. Clifford, a senior at Bates College, was one of the judges to determine the six men and six women of the sophomore class which competed in the prize speaking contest Saturday. There were fifteen men and fifteen women who competed in the semi-finals Monday for choice of those who competed in the finals, and it was in this contest that Mr. Clifford was one of the judges.

Taylor's Dog and Pony Circus arrived in town on the 7:20 evening train Friday in a special baggage car. There were three ponies, a donkey, four monkeys and a whole troop of dogs. These animals travel in cages and crates, and are as used to this mode of transportation as were the hens of the farmer who moved twice a year regularly. When these hens saw a hay rack coming into the yard they would run to it, turn over on their backs and stick their feet up to be tied.

Perley F. Ripley was in Augusta Wednesday to attend the annual meeting of the Maine Automobile Association. He was elected one of the vice-presidents of the association. The association recommended an additional bond issue for highway construction, and also adopted a resolution for the state to issue a road book for the benefit of the public. It also appointed a committee of three to interview the governor in regard to taking over the square in the town of Kittery by eminent domain in order to make a fitting entrance to the interstate memorial bridge in that town.

Rev. Stanley Manning, national worker for the Young People's Christian Union, spoke at the Universalist church last Monday evening. A good number of the young people were out, with some of the older ones, and a number of visitors from the Norway Union. At the close of Mr. Manning's talk it was voted with enthusiasm to proceed at once to organize a South Paris Union, and the organization was effected. The first meeting of the Union was held Sunday evening, with Miss Glenna Starbird as leader, and meetings will be held regularly Sunday evenings. The officers are:

Pres.—Wilburn Miller.
Vice-Pres.—Willard Pratt.
Sec.—Glenna Starbird.
Treas.—Henry Morton.

(Additional local news on page 3.)

American Education Week.

The week of December 3-9 is set aside as American Education Week. The churches, the schools, and various local organizations are asked to participate by lectures, sermons and special programs.

Let us see why it has become necessary to set apart a special week for Education Week. During the war, as we all know, statistics were brought to the attention of the public which were appalling. For example, out of 3,208,446 men examined from Dec. 15, 1917, to Sept. 11, 1918, 949,419 were rejected for service. In other words 29.59 per cent of the men drafted were unfit to take up service.

All this seems to have nothing to do with education but in reality it has. The same army tests showed up figures that made the American people blush as regards illiteracy. Let us look at the figures regarding illiteracy in the United States. In 1910 there were 5,516,163 illiterates in this country. In 1920 there were 4,931,905. In 1910 there were 3,184,633 white illiterates and in 1920 3,006,312 a decrease of only 178,321 in 10 years. Of this number the native born whites were as follows: 1910, 1,534,272 and in 1920 1,242,572.

Do these figures show that illiteracy is disappearing as fast as some of us would like to think? It surely does not. At the present rate of reduction illiteracy will not disappear from among our adult population in 180 years. It is sure to be a problem in our national life for the next century.

The figures coming from the draft headquarters show that illiteracy in our population is four times that given by our federal census. According to these figures 24.9 per cent of the total number of men examined from April, 1917, to November, 1918, were illiterate. Can the United States afford to have one-fourth of its young men illiterate?

Let us compare our country with foreign countries.

Country	Percentage
Germany	.2
Denmark	.2
Switzerland	.5
Netherlands	.6
Finland	.9
Norway	1.0
Sweden	1.0
Scotland	1.6
England & Wales	1.8
France	4.9
United States	6.0

These figures are for our entire population. Should the richest nation in the world lag behind other enlightened nations in stamping out illiteracy?

The state of Maine lined up as follows: Out of a population of 621,233 there were 20,240 illiterates of which 1668 were between 10 and 21 years of age. That is a lot better than a great many states but it is too large a percentage.

The American Legion, the National Education Association, the State Department of Education and the United States Bureau of Education are cooperating in making this week one of real worth to the people and especially the children of this land. They ask your cooperation and support.

NORWAY.

Mrs. Laurence H. Denison with little daughter Carolyn is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jordan, in North Bridgton.

Miss Mildred Downing of Mechanic Falls is the guest of her uncle, Clarence H. Downing, and family.

Mrs. Elizabeth Manning, who has been visiting relatives in Massachusetts, New Jersey and Pennsylvania for several weeks, has returned to her home here in Norway.

William F. Jones was renominated by Governor Baxter Tuesday for judge of the Norway Municipal Court.

The first of the winter series of whist parties for the benefit of the organ fund for the Universalist church was held Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Linnie S. Bartlett.

Rev. G. H. Newton expects to attend the meeting of the pastors of Oxford County at East Hebron to-day (Tuesday.)

Charles Canwell was called to North Turner last week by the death of his father, Sewell S. Canwell. Mr. Canwell died in Leeds but was brought to Howe's Corner in Turner for burial. He had been sick for two months. Mr. Canwell was a civil war veteran and a member of Harry Rust Post, G. A. R., of this village. Beside the son already mentioned, he leaves another son in Turner, George S. Canwell; also two daughters, Mrs. Charles Phillips of Leeds and Mrs. W. H. Burkett in Lewiston.

Miss Helen Holmes recently spent a few days in Portland.

Edward Lever was a guest of his brother, Frank Lever, in Hallowell last week.

Z. L. Merchant was in Boston several days last week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas, who has been in Vermont several weeks, returned to her home in Norway Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Nelson of South Waterford and Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Nelson of East Stoneham were guests of Mrs. C. S. Tucker Tuesday.

Messrs. George T. Tubbs, Walter F. Tubbs, Fred G. Noble and F. H. Noble have returned from the Umbagog region with five deer.

Kenneth C. Gurney has closed his camp at Lake Keewaydin in Stoneham and is stopping a few days with his sister, Mrs. Clarence Downing. He will go to Florida in a short time, where he has employment in a camp for the winter.

Miss Margaret Walker, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. S. S. Saunders, at Mechanic Falls, returned to Norway Thursday morning.

(Additional Norway locals on page 3.)

Notes from the Boy Scouts.

Laurence Denison of the American Legion is Scoutmaster of the Norway Scouts, and Glen Kelly of the high school is assistant. Norway citizens should appreciate the earnest efforts of this troop for 1922, for even though working under many disadvantages, they have a very creditable county record, as well as making more advancement this year than in all previous years put together.

To give definite proof of the best wishes of the American Legion to Norway Scouts, a banquet is to be given by the Legion Wednesday evening, the 22d, in honor of the Scouts and the organization they are working for.

Many people think of a Scoutmaster's job as one tinged with rosy colors forever and that the "right kind of a pull" with the boys is all that is required for success. A few hours of play a week with the boys and all well and good. Don't fool yourself. A Scoutmaster's job requires a keener understanding of human nature than possessed by the majority of business men and requires painstaking efforts that must go "according to Hoyle." A program of study and real work that no year of college can equal is involved. Voluntary work in the interest of Young America is what your Scoutmaster is doing.

This is the first year of real Scouting in Oxford County. Scouting in the different towns is under the supervision of the local Scout Boards who stand behind the Scoutmaster and direct the general activities of the troops. Representatives from these different Scout Boards form the Oxford County Council. New members may be added at the discretion of the council men at an official meeting. Local Scout Boards may increase their membership or drop off "dead timber" at their official meetings.

The Oxford County Council, Boy Scouts of America, is the big organization for boys in Oxford County with its goal as True Americanism designated by Good American Citizenship.

Meeting of Milk Inspectors.

To the Local Milk Inspectors of Maine:

A meeting of milk inspectors of the various towns in Maine is to be held on Thursday, December 7th, at the state house, Augusta, at 10:00 A. M.

We are very fortunate to obtain Dr. A. O. Gross of Bowdoin College, to speak on Milk Analysis as it is conducted throughout the state and what it means to the public. Mr. H. M. Tucker, of the State Department of Agriculture, will speak on Tuberculosis and its relation to the Maine milk supply. Prof. M. D. Jones has agreed to present some facts on the cost of producing milk in Maine and what constitutes a fair price to the dealer. We have also been able to obtain Dr. Tetreau, health officer for the city of Portland, who will speak on Municipal Ordinances. A general discussion will follow each address and a round table discussion will follow in the afternoon.

We believe such a meeting will be of deep interest to every milk inspector and health officer and urge you to be present.

FORREST A. BARBOUR,
State Dairy Inspector.

Mrs. Lydia R. Whitten.

A woman died in Portland on the 12th, who was for many years a resident of Oxford County, having lived 83 years in the town of Buckfield. She was Mrs. Lydia R. Whitten and her age was 97 years.

She had outlived her husband, who was Josiah W. Whitten one time sheriff of Oxford County, and her son, Charles R. Whitten, who was for many years treasurer of the Augusta Savings Bank and later state bank examiner. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Susan R. Clark of Alameda, Calif.

The Long Christmas Gift.

There are many good gifts that one can choose at Christmas, but for lingering satisfaction, long-drawn-out, what is there, after all, that can be named in the same breath with The Youth's Companion? The fun is only begun with the first Christmas number. Thereafter through the 52 weeks of the long, long year, it is constantly supplying fresh sources of amusement and information. Now it is the beginning of a new serial, then it is a contribution of vital interest to the youth interested in sport or science, next it is a brand new story by C. A. Stephens or A. S. Pier, or a tale of wild adventure in the old Indian days, by men who have actually lived among and powwowed with the redskins. But why say more? No other Christmas gift is welcomed with so much pleasure. Try it and see.

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IT HAPPENED IN NEW ENGLAND

Items Gleaned From All Parts of New England

Raymond A. Carr, 18, was accidentaly shot and killed by Dennis Aspinwall when gunning at Limerick, Me. They were firing at a target when Aspinwall's rifle went off the bullet entering Carr's neck.

Abram Everett, of Worcester, Mass., cast his 72nd State ballot and went on record as Worcester's oldest voter at the recent election. He has voted for 18 Presidents. He celebrated his 94th anniversary Nov. 4th.

Boston school teachers won their referendum for equal pay with men employed in the same duties, but it was only after a fight that vied in intensity, from the teachers' viewpoint at least, with that between Gaston and Lodge.

The Rev. Joseph Walker, 72, pastor of Windsor, Mass., Congressional church who was recently exonerated by the North Adams court on charges of being father of the child of one of the church choir singers, has resigned his pulpit.

Miss Sadie A. Loomis, nurse, leaped from the fourth story of the apartment house, 108 Sherman st., Portland to the roof of an adjoining building, then fell into the yard sustaining fractures of both wrists, bruises and internal injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dailey, a middle aged couple, and the family cat, were found dead in the bedroom of their home in Malden, Mass. They had been asphyxiated by gas from a partly open jet in the kitchen. The medical examiner said the case was one of accident or carelessness.

Forty black foxes valued at $15,000 were stolen from the farm of V. J. Tood at Easton, Me. The thieves entered a pen where the foxes were, about a quarter mile from the house, and killed and carried away the animals, leaving no trace of their identity so far as has yet been learned.

Tired of school life and a victim of a desire to travel, Elmer Porter, 15, student at Ipswich high school in Rowell Mass., fell into the hands of Portland police as he journeyed on his way to visit an uncle in Vassalboro. He started from Rowell without a penny, he said but only walked about a mile because of the kindness of motorists.

Miss Edna Beard of Orange, Vt., was elected senator from Orange county. In Chelsea the county seat, Miss Beard received 104 votes to 15 for F. H. Bickford of Bradford, whose name was written in. There was no Democratic candidate. Miss Beard was representative from Orange two years ago and has been on the local school board.

A frantic search for Morris Emery, Steep Falls, Me., was ended when the man was found plodding along on the road between Brownfield and Fryburg, dust covered and weary. He had steadfastly refused rides from motors by searching parties, and was weakened by lack of food. Emery could give no reason for his hike. A nervous breakdown is held responsible for his state of mind.

Request for $165,000 to build sheds on the State Pier was made by Henry F. Merrill, commissioner, and Ralph O. Brewster, Senator, before Gov. Baxter and other members of the Budget Committee. They also showed that $70,000 is needed for maintenance and operating expenses, income being estimated at $25,000. The sheds in rentals, it was explained, will bring in $19,000 more.

Edward J. Coughlin, 39, no home, got another state farm sentence for drunkenness. Coughlin has been before the Cambridge courts 40 times since 1908. All except one of the complaints was for drunkenness. The exception was for larceny, and records show that he was intoxicated when he committed the theft. He has received 12 sentences to the state farm, and has served about two years in all at this institution.

Morgan Gardner Bulkeley, former United Sates senator, former Governor of Connecticut, former mayor of Hartford and president of the Aetna Life Insurance Company since 1879, died at his home in Hartford, Ct., after a three weeks' illness. He was 84 years old. Besides being prominent for many years in politics and business he was further noted for his connections with sporting enterprises, having been the first president of the National Baseball League, and for more than 30 years an official of the National Trotting Association.

The mystery surrounding the death of Fay Shannon, 25, who was found shot through the head on a logging road near Bailey lake, Aroostook county, Me., Oct. 13, was solved by the confession of his hunting companion, Benjamin Sprague, that he had shot Shannon in mistake for a deer. Sprague says that fear of punishment induced him to invent his first story to the effect that Shannon had gone out alone, and that some hours later he had found him dead, presumably killed by a stray bullet from another hunter's rifle.

Lady Nancy Langhorne Astor, first woman in parliament, wants a "Hall of Politics" for Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Mass. Lady Astor has not forgotten that she was an American girl herself and has donated $1000 to Radcliffe with the hope that girls from every state in the Union may have a chance to study the science of politics there. This is the first and only gift that she has ever made to an American college in the interests of political education.

Early Loaf Sugar.

The art of making loaf sugar was introduced by a Venetian in the Fifteenth century, who received a large reward for his discovery. The loaf sugar of other days was not in the convenient form of cubes as we have it now, but was large like a round loaf of bread and was some trouble to cut.

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Here and There.

"Old Dog Tray" is one of the songs which have lived. It has lived not because of the beauty of the score or the lilt of the verse, but because of the truthfulness of the sentiment. The affection and fidelity of dogs are such recognized traits of canine characte that it is impossible to overdo them in sentiment. That is why it has lived. If "Old Dog Tray" was not in existence poets could have the privilege of writing another song on the same theme almost any day, because dogs are continually giving new examples of affection and fidelity. When one sings "Old Dog Tray," or hears it sung, there arises a mental picture of a large, sombre-eyed animal with not much alive about him but his eyes and tail; but it seems the smaller varieties, with hair curled and tails bobbed, may have all the characteristics of his big brothers. One in Portland did a week or two since. Kiko—of course that name must belong to a small dog; it don't fit a big one—who belonged to the family of Thomas Towle, would not leave his master's burning house until he was sure his little playmates, the children of the family, were safe. The fire broke out in the night, and he was taken out of the burning building two or three times, but re-entered each time, going to the sleeping apartment of the children and barking and scratching at the door. Finally a fireman opened the door when Kiko rushed in and jumped on the bed. When he found the bed unoccupied, he wagged his tail and allowed himself to be led from the house.

A week or two since an operation was performed on the head of "George V. Lester," fiction writer, to cure him of the desire for forgery. Ten years ago, this man fell from a horse and suffered a fracture of the skull, since when he has had an uncontrollable desire to commit forgery; especially to forge checks. Doctors have expressed opinions that this tendency might be due to pressure on the brain, so the operation was recommended. This train of reasoning, if carried to its logical conclusion, would indicate that a man's impulses and acts are determined by the dents in his head rather than protuberances as has been the general conclusion. If this view becomes accepted perhaps a part of the future physicians' practice will be to dent the head in just the right place to make the patient what he wants to be. It's a wonderful world if you look at it cock-eyed.

There are people who say there is nothing which smells worse than West India rum unless it may be gin; and one hears occasionally of old topers who can't drink whiskey without holding on to their noses just because of the smell. Well, it seems moonshiners in West Virginia have found something which smells worse, so it can be used for a camouflage. Prohibition officers searching the woods in that state for stills have depended a good deal on their noses; and to outwit them the distillers have resorted to skunks on the ground that the odor of these animals is a little worse than that of moonshine whiskey. This fact has been attested to by officers who recently detected and destroyed a distillery on the farm of George Nickles near Mineral Wells in West Virginia, when they accidentally broke into a skunk kennel.

A new and commendable feature is now much in vogue in business office practice. The stenographer who types a letter writes (with the machine) at the bottom the name of the one who dictates, with his official title or other matter as may be necessary. Above this she leaves a space in which the one who dictates the letter subsequently with a pen puts in those marks which indicate that he has signed it. By this means the recipient of a letter may always know from whom it comes.

Maine News Notes.

The home of the late Senator William P. Frye in Lewiston has been purchased by J. H. McIlroy, well known mill man of Winthrop, who recently became associated with the W. S. Libby Company of Lewiston.

Brigadier General John A. Hadley, formerly adjutant general, who resigned to become governor of the National Soldiers' Home in Togus, has been transferred to the Maine National Guard Reserves, according to a special order from the war department.

The cost of the new United Baptist Church at Lewiston was $175,522. Of that amount, there has already been paid $148,587.25. The new organ will cost about $17,000 and while the indebtedness of the church will be $74,000, the parish assets are $250,000.

A Portland man on the way to Florida by automobile writes home that at one place on the road through Virginia a touring car was stuck in the mud and 36 cars were held up until it could be pulled out by a pair of horses. Of these 36 cars, 18 were from Maine, and seven of the 18 were from Portland.

Bar Harbor is enjoying a building boom. New houses are going up, built by permanent residents, real estate is changing hands rapidly. More than a score of beautiful summer estates have changed hands, bought by purchasers who plan to open the houses, many of which have been closed for years. Repairs and alterations are going on practically all over the town. Already plans and prophecies are made for a big season next year. Several new business firms have started within the past few weeks.

Six silver black foxes arrived recently at the Gordon fox farm on the River Road, Newcastle. The little animals are puppies, three pairs, and came all the way from Prince Edward Island brought here by William Sinclair of the Sinclair Fox Ranch on the Island. Mr. Sinclair is 80 years old but seemed to think lightly of the long trip with his valuable animals to care for. A bond of $3,600 had to be filed at the Bath custom house to the effect that the foxes were to be used for breeding purposes only, before they could be delivered. The difference in duty on the live animals and on pelts is considerable. The pelts of these same animals would have required a duty of $900.

They Must Use Einstein Calendar.

Three weeks from to-day—Thanksgiving.—Courier-Gazette of Nov. 16.

THE OXFORD BEARS.

THE DOINGS OF THE WEEK IN ALL SECTIONS OF THE COUNTY.

Paris Hill.

Services at Paris Hill Baptist church every Sunday at 10:45. Sunday School at 12. Sunday evening service at 7:30. Thursday evening prayer meetings at 7:30 o'clock.

The Ladies' Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Marietta Hammond on Friday afternoon at 3:30. Ladies interested in missions are cordially invited.

Charles H. Hammond, who is attending the University of Maine, has recently been elected to membership in the Sigma Phi Fraternity.

Mrs. Edward L. Parris and E. L. Parris, Jr., arrived home last week from an automobile trip to New York and Pennsylvania, and report a very enjoyable trip of more than thirteen hundred miles.

Admiral and Mrs. Henry W. Lyon will close their home here in a few days and start Sunday to the Island of Barbadoes for the winter. They will sail from Halifax, N. S.

Mrs. Lois Curtis Clark and Miss Charlotte Daniels, both of whom have been very ill with pnuemonia since the first of last week, are reported better and recovering. Mrs. Clark has been under the constant care of a trained nurse since Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Atwood spent the week-end with relatives in Dixfield.

After two or three weeks of fine warm fall weather, Monday morning is giving us a drizzling mixture of rain and snow that melts as fast as it comes.

The Portland Evening Express and Advertiser of October 27, 1922, contained a long article relating to Lincoln Academy at Damariscotta, Maine. Reference was made to several principals of the school and the following paragraph was given regarding a one-time Paris resident. Those who remember the subject of the paragraph will testify that it is not overdrawn: "He was followed by Charles A. Black, who was a wonderful man. He had physical handicaps that would have rendered it impossbie for any ordinary man to succeed, but his was such an unconquerable soul, such quenchless teaching genius, that his crippled condition didn't count. Mr. Black was followed by Henry K. White and certainly Black and White both did the academy good."

LINCOLN SCHOOL NOTES.

Pupils having 100 per cent spelling the past week: Howard Sturtevant, Constance Strout, Glenroy Strout, Harold Marston, Arnold Stone, Emma Torsey, Roy Slattery, Mildred Everett, Olive Field, Melvena Croteau, Nellie Field, Gertrude Everett, Evelyn Cummings.

School will not be in session Saturday, Nov. 25, on account of a Paris-Woodstock teachers' meeting at South Paris.

Hebron.

Hebron Grange held an all-day meeting Saturday to celebrate Armistice Day. The village school children took part.

Mrs. Annie Bearce is now at home from South Paris.

Miss Eleanor Bearce was at home for the week-end. She tells us she is in love with teaching, so there is no doubt about her proving a successful teacher.

Lawrence Bearce came near losing a hand last week. While tending a wood sawing machine his hand was caught by the saw which went through his glove, but an ornament on a ring he wore checked the saw so he got his hand out with very little harm done. The ring was sawed half way through.

Miss Bessie Bean was at home from Bethel for the week-end.

Mrs. A. M. Richardson and Albert were up from Portland Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Sturtevant spent a few days in Portland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gurney of Norway were at Fred Gurney's Sunday.

Many from here attended the State Pomological fair at Lewiston this week. There were four different exhibits from Hebron—Oxford Bears, Indian Heads, Geo. I. Conant and A. A. Conant.

Mrs. Fred C. Sturtevant was at Clayton Babcock's Monday, and Mrs. Alton Hibbs spent the day there Tuesday. Wednesday Mrs. Babcock was at East Hebron, and the little girls spent the day at West Minot with their grandfather Perkins. Mr. Babcock is packing apples in Hartford for Mr. Mann.

West Buckfield.

Philip Keene of South Paris is at W. L. Fogg's for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bennett and daughter Rachel of Bridgton were at P. M. Bennett's Sunday.

Miss Sylvia Merrill is helping Mrs. P. M. Bennett with the housework.

Miss Dorothy Buck was at home from Dixfield over the week-end.

Henry Merrill's mother is with him for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gibbs and family of West Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buck and children, Mrs. Jennie Jewell and two children of Buckfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tucker of Hebron were at W. H. Tucker's Sunday.

Mason.

W. H. Mason, who has been working at Peru for the summer, has returned to E. H. Morrill's.

Hunters are plenty in town, looking for those "picked-toed" animals commonly called deer, but seem quite unsuccessful as yet.

Herbert Long is working for E. H. Morrill in the woods.

Eli Grover has been helping Zenas Mills do his threshing and from there they went to Grover Hill and threshed for Albert Whitman and Fred Mundt.

The Blanchards have started for their home in Newark, N. J., all wishing them a good and safe trip.

Homer and Leo Bartlett of East Bethel are in town visiting relatives.

The Blanchards dined at E. C. Mills' one day recently.

Wilson's Mills.

E. S. Bennett has sold his work horses to Peter Baker, who is logging at Greenough Pond.

Gilman Blakeley of Colebrook was in town Monday with all kinds of meat, everything fresh and in good condition.

Clinton Bennett took his little son to Portland Saturday to consult a specialist. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bennett, who will visit their daughters who are employed there.

Al Frothingham, a woodsman employed by the Brown Co., was found dead Friday, about a mile from the Long Pond Camp. The remains were brought down on the boat Saturday morning and taken to Berlin.

J. F. Hart has a new pair of horses.

North Waterford.

C. A. Marston came home from Crystal, N. H., Saturday, where he had been for two weeks.

There was a dance at Grange Hall Saturday night.

Willis McKeen and Evie McAllister were in Norway last Thursday.

Rilla Marston has returned home after visiting friends in Bethel and Norway the past week.

Nona Grover is at home for a few days from Massachusetts.

There was a circle at the vestry Tuesday night, Nov. 7th.

Charles Marston is in Chatham, N. H., this week.

Herman Holt has Ernest Grover's horse to keep this winter.

Willis Littlefield drove the team last week at Brown's mill.

East Sumner.

Mrs. Clara Stetson, widow of the late S. F. Stetson, suffered severely one day last week from an attack of acute indigestion. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ford, who have come to spend the winter with her, cared for her.

C. Augustus Bonney and Frank Wyman have installed one-pipe furnaces in their residences.

The G. A. R. Relief Corps held an annual sale and dinner at West Sumner last Thursday.

The Congregational pulpit is being supplied by students from Bates College.

O. L. Varney has been doing carpenter work for C. A. Bonney and Ray Keene recently.

Armistice Day passed very quietly here. Such a significant event should receive more than a calendar notice. Let it be made a legal holiday in Maine.

West Paris.

The annual sale, chicken pie supper and entertainment will be held at the Universalist church Wednesday afternoon and evening, Nov. 22. The sale will open at 2 o'clock, consisting of the usual line of useful and fancy articles. Supper will be served from 5:30 to 7:30, 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children. The entertainment will consist of the play, The Pearl of Old Maids, and will be presented at 8 o'clock. Admission 15 cents.

Considerable excitement was caused last Monday morning by a blaze in the attic of Mrs. Anna Perkins' Mother's Sanitarium, caused from a chimney which was burning out. The wind was blowing a gale but every available man in the vicinity turned out and with the aid of the fire apparatus the fire was quickly extinguished with little damage save for the water-soaked conditions. The furniture was removed, and Mrs. Frank C. Packard and infant daughter, who were being cared for there, were taken to their home at Dr. Packard's.

The Finnish people held their annual sale last week. Those who were able to attend report a very pretty collection of dresses and many useful and pretty things.

H. W. Welch is enjoying a two weeks' hunting trip.

Mrs. Jennie Brown Dunham of East Saugus, Mass., has been here for the past ten days with her mother, Mrs. Mary P. Brown, while Mrs. Ella Cole, who cares for her, has been having a vacation and visiting in Lewiston.

Rev. Stanley Manning, national organizer for the Young People's Christian Union, was in town from Tuesday until Wednesday last week. A supper was served by members of the local union and a social hour enjoyed. Mr. Manning's address Tuesday evening was as usual one of inspiration and helpful suggestions for work and service.

Mrs. Phila Mayhew entertained the Jolly Twelve whist club Friday evening.

Fred Stearns of Hot Springs, Ark., is a guest at George Devine's.

Mrs. Elvesa Dennen was the guest of Mrs. Irvin L. Bowker in Portland from Monday until Wednesday last week.

South Sumner.

The hearts of many in this place were saddened on hearing of the death of Henry W. Davenport Nov. 9. Mr. Davenport was born on Sumner Hill June 21, 1872, the son of Russell and Columbia (Keene) Davenport, and spent his fifty years in his native town. Nineteen years ago he was united in marriage with Florence Stella Cox of this town, and to this union four children were born, Benjamin Russell, who died in infancy, Columbia Keene, Eloise Vienna and Henry Walter, Jr. These with his wife survive, as does also one brother, Adelbert F. Davenport; three sisters, Mrs. Abbie Noyes, Mrs. Susie Garey and Mrs. Alice Turner. These with a host of friends mourn his untimely death.

When a young man he learned the blacksmith's trade. This business he always followed, together with his butchering and farm work. The combined care and physical exertion overtaxed his nerves, causing a mental break-down early in the summer, from which he could not rally. This death seems very sad, as he is the fifth brother to pass away, all under sixty years of age.

The funeral was held Nov. 11 from the Universalist church, West Sumner, and was largely attended. Rev. C. G. Miller spoke words of cheer and comfort to the sorrowing relatives and friends. Beautiful flowers covered the casket. Burial was in Pleasant Pond Cemetery.

Leonard Davenport of West Peru was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Lena Reed of Buckfield has been helping Alice Turner the past week.

Linwood Bonney came home from Bates College to spend the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bonney.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ring motored to Farmington last Wednesday.

Alice Turner enjoyed a call from her cousin Flora Leslie last week.

Clifton Allen and family were at George Bradeen's one day recently.

Glennie Bradeen was called to Hartford by the illness of her father, William Hayford, who suffered a shock.

Mrs. Clara Tucker and Mrs. Jennie Bonney called on friends in Turner Sunday.

Mrs. Rethwell Titus and baby Robinetta of Auburn have been visiting Mrs. Titus' mother, Mrs. Flora Leslie of Sumner Hill.

North Buckfield.

M. A. Warren went to Wallingford, Conn., Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Carrie Foster Post.

Commander and Mrs. Howard Emery left Friday for winter quarters. They will be in Lowell and Watertown, Mass., for a while.

H. A. Spaulding has a position with an insurance company in Keene, N. H. He will go soon. Mrs. Spaulding and children will be in Hartford this winter.

Mrs. Everett Reed has been visiting Mrs. C. G. Turner in South Sumner.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bessey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bessey of Rumford were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bessey.

George Fogg and G. H. Bessey are cutting lumber for B. E. Gerrish, and will haul later.

Fred Keene of Dixfield was at S. J. Spaulding's recently.

Miss Erma Tibbetts of Belgrade was a week-end guest of Lillian Holmes.

Recent guests at M. A. Warren's were Misses Madeleine Ulman and Evelyn Butler, Bates College, Miss Clithroe Warren, Mexico, and Miss Hazel Farnum, Rumford.

Mrs. W. Heald and daughter are in Locke's Mills. Her mother, Mrs. Lydia Varney, is critically ill.

Hersey Warren has been away on a hunting trip.

West Sumner.

Mrs. Horace Barrows has returned home from Portland. She now intends to pass the winter with her brother and family in Massachusetts.

The house and barn of Lincoln Burnham were burned Sunday afternoon, with all their household goods. There was no insurance. West Sumner will help the mother and five very young children, as she has always in by-gone misfortunes.

Henry W. Davenport passed away at Augusta State Asylum. Age 50.

Dickvale.

Mrs. Eva Fuller and family of Rumford Corner spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. G. C. Putnam.

Mrs. Ernest Sturtevant and son Roland spent the week-end with her sister in Rumford.

Mrs. Lucretia Thompson has been having a bad cold.

The Larkin Soap Club met with Mrs. B. J. Roberts Tuesday.

Mrs. Chester Oliver of Bethel returned to her home last Saturday after a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grafton Gordon.

Lowell Shaw and Hiram Washburn are working in Rumford now.

Elgin Rafuse is also working in Rumford.

Mrs. Jim Sanders and Mrs. David Chenery motored to Rumford last Sunday.

East Bethel.

Wm. C. Blake was last week's guest of his brother, C. G. Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Simpson of Boston were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. K. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thurlow were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Merrill.

Hugh Clark of Auburn was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon Kimball and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Bartlett have closed their home here and gone to Neponset, Mass., where they will spend the winter.

Willis Bartlett in company with John Clark, Malden, Mass., Walter Peers, East Weymouth, Mass., and Wm. La Pearl, Woburn, Mass., enjoyed a hunting expedition in camp at South Arm, Richardson Lakes, one week, returning with three deer which were taken by auto to Massachusetts. Ara Brown of Hanover accompanied them as guide.

Mrs. Octavia Bean is spending several weeks the guest of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lester F. Bean, Phillips.

Miss Edna Bartlett was a recent week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bean, Woodstock.

Buckfield.

The ladies of the Baptist circle held their Christmas sale at Grange Hall Friday afternoon, Nov. 17. There was a fancy work table in charge of Mrs. Iva Vaughn; apron table in charge of Mrs. Eva Lunt; candy in charge of Mrs. Ella Thurlow; food table in charge of Mrs. Minerva Allen; mystery table in charge of Miss Myra Irish; and Mrs. Anna Atwood, assisted by Mrs. Anna Purkis, served tea and fancy biscuits to all comers. Business was good at all the tables, and the total sales were about $150.

Thanksgiving Sunday will be observed as Go-to-Church Sunday in connection with the regular Thanksgiving service. There will be special music, and every one is urged to make a special effort to attend this service.

There was a dance at Odd Fellows' Hall Wednesday evening. Peter Gallant was the promoter, and music was furnished by a Livermore Falls orchestra. Next Tuesday night Shaw's South Paris team will give a dance at the same place.

The local troop of Boy Scouts gave a party to their girl friends at the school house Friday night.

Tuesday evening Pastor Dresser gave a very interesting blackboard talk at the prayer meeting. This will be a feature of the Tuesday evening services for a few weeks.

George, Jesse and Carl Packard were in Lewiston Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Rawson were in Portland the first of the week.

B. Spaulding and W. C. Allen were in Lewiston Tuesday.

Several from here attended the fruit meetings at Lewiston last week.

The friends of Mrs. F. R. Dyer in the church and sewing circle presented her with a ten dollar gold piece as a slight token of their regard and in appreciation of the work she has done so well and willingly in these organizations.

Bethel.

One of the little, pleasant, good times which the Congregational church are to have this winter took place last Tuesday night. Refreshments were served and a merry, good time was held for all parish people.

One of the most interesting events which has recently taken place was the Donors' Day, so called, which was held last Wednesday evening at William Bingham's gymnasium with a large attendance. It is what was formerly known as the Morris Pratt Birthday, which formerly was held the same day every year. Now it is merged into the Donors' Day in honor of so many who have given to Gould's Academy in recent years. A very interesting program was given. The "folk" dances which were given by many of the scholars were delightful.

The field opposite Holden Hall has been bought from the Cross heirs and given to Gould's Academy for an athletic field. All honor to William Bingham for this as well as for other gifts.

Remember the Chautauqua which comes this week at Bethel.

Owen Dustin, who recently moved here from Locke's Mills, died and was buried Monday at 2:30. He had a bad abscess in his throat which choked him. He leaves a wife, besides several cousins. Interment at Middle Intervale. Services by Rev. Mr. Oliver of the Methodist church.

North Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stevens and son Earle spent Sunday, Nov. 12, with Mr. and Mrs. Norton Woodsum at Mechanic Falls.

A. D. Littlehale, F. A. Littlehale and W. E. Littlehale worked for R. N. Stetson one day last week.

Mrs. Anna C. B. Butterfield has returned home after several weeks spent in visiting Mrs. Addie Stone and other friends.

Mrs. Althea Eames, Mrs. Howard Thurston, Mrs. Hugh Thurston and two small sons of Bethel were callers at Pearl Parker's and A. D. Littlehale's last Tuesday.

H. D. McAlister was in Lewiston Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Griffin of Bethel were visitors at S. E. Coffin's.

The family of Mrs. Mary Curtis is under quarantine as she, her daughter Rena and mother, Mrs. Mary Harriman, have diphtheria. All are reported much better at this writing.

The village school is closed for one week on account of the diphtheria.

Morris Ellingwood and William Littlehale took an automobile trip to Fairfield recently.

Locke's Mills.

Mrs. Lydia Varney is quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Will Crockett.

Mrs. Lester Tebbets and her daughter Clare are visiting relatives in Auburn.

George Salls, engineer at the mill, is having a vacation, and George Tirrell is taking his place.

Charles L. Swan is soon to move his family to Bethel, and Tom Roberts will have the rent; and Howard Maxim will occupy Mr. Roberts' rent.

Mr. Adams of Portland is building a log cabin on the lot recently purchased by him, on the Gore.

Azel Bryant has bought the Thomas farm, and Nelson Cole's family is living there.

Mrs. Dan Swett is ill at this writing.

Rev. O. E. Bryant of Mechanic Falls was a Sunday guest of his father, Azel Bryant.

West Peru.

Mrs. Lucretia Thompson, aged 80 years, is ill with a bad cold, as are many others.

Oscar Putnam is selling wood in Mexico.

J. G. Tyler has moved to the Dow farm.

Fred Searles is hauling wood with his truck.

Gerald and R. S. Tracy are cutting wood and timber on the Cummings lot.

Manley Farrar is cutting timber on the Tainter farm.

James Saunders and son are cutting timber near Speckled Mountain for the N. S. Stowell Co.

Mr. Law is cutting pulp wood for L. K. Lovejoy.

Oxford County people made good displays of fruit at the Agricultural exhibit in Lewiston last week. The exhibitors were the following: George I. Conant, Hebron; Thomas Chase, Buckfield; Leon Whitman, Hebron; W. G. Conant, Hebron; O. C. Buck, Hebron; Wilson Conant, Buckfield; A. C. Conant, Hebron; Oxford Bear Association, Hebron; Indian Head Fruit Growers' Association, Hebron.

PIANO PUPILS.

Miss Gladys Doran, who has been studying the piano for some time with Mr. E. W. Hanscom, will take a limited number of pupils in the Leschetizky method. Miss Doran refers to Mr. E. W. Hanscom, Auburn, Maine. 47

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NOTICE.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine. In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of ALVIN C. SCRIBNER, of Norway, Bankrupt, } In Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Alvin C. Scribner of Norway, in the County of Oxford and District aforesaid:

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of November, A.D. 1922, the said Alvin B. Scribner was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the Referee, No. 49 Market Square, South Paris, Maine, on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

South Paris, November 20, 1922.

WALTER L. GRAY, Referee in Bankruptcy.

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COMING!

One Cent Sale

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Nov. 23, 24 and 25.

AT THE REXALL STORE

CHAS. H. HOWARD CO.

PHARMACISTS

South Paris, Maine.

Watch for circulars giving details of the sale

DOLLS!

We have just received a nice assortment of Dolls of all sizes.

Now is the time to buy the doll to dress for Christmas. We also have dressed dolls, dolls' furs and dolls' jewelry.

F. M. & M. S. RICHARDS,

SOUTH PARIS, MAINE.

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Z. L. MERCHANT

171 Main Street.

Winter Is Just Around the Corner

And the Cool Days Suggest Winter Garments and Merchandise at Merchant's

Many years of thoughtful study and careful discrimination in choosing the merchandise for this store assures the highest possible merit as to quality and style value.

Exceptional Values in the New Fall and Winter Coats, Suits and Dresses

COATS

in a good assortment for women, misses and infants to choose from in the wanted materials and most popular styles at fair prices. Women's coats from $12.50 up.

TAILORED SUITS

We have gone through our stock of Suits and marked them at a less price; from 25 to 33 per cent. off the regular fair prices.

Where is the woman but has a constant need for a smart tailor made suit? Step in and see these suits. Notice the quality of the fabrics, the linings, the splendid style of the garments, then the price, 25 to 33 per cent. off the regular fair prices.

Infant's and Children's Department

We wish to call your attention to this interesting section where we are ever prepared to solve the clothes problem for children and the little tots. Pleased to show you.

Wool Finished Blankets

with the appearance and warmth of wool and the laundering qualities of cotton, in assorted colors and attractive plaid color combinations. Size 66x80 inches at $4.50 pair and 64x76 at $3.25 per pair.

CHRISTMAS

Only a short time now till Christmas and we are preparing every day to make it easy for you to select for your dry goods and dry goods apparel wants as well as many fancy, useful articles.

STAMPED GOODS in a splendid assortment, in packages and otherwise, for your selection.

Winter Fashion Quarterly

25c Per Copy

is now on sale, including a coupon valued at 15 cents which will be accepted for its face value towards any pattern in our stock.

One Price Cash Store

NORWAY, - - MAINE

Come and See My Larkin Pantry.

An attractive assortment of Larkin products at little more than one-half regular Larkin catalogue prices.

MRS. FRED GRAVES, 8 Bolster Ave., South Paris.

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Wood For Sale.

I have a large amount of first quality green wood; also long lumber of all kinds.

ALEXANDER T. STEARNS, Paris, Maine.

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L. F. Pike Co.

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A large variety of styles and qualities always at our stores.
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Monday, Nov. 20, at 7 and 8:30

Herbert Rawlinson IN "THE BLACK BAG"

A big special Universal Production

Comedy—"Broadcasting." "Æsop's Fables."

Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 7 and 8:30

JACK HOXIE In a big Western Production

Comedy—"Sweet Cookie." International News.

Wednesday, Nov. 22, playing at 4, 6:45 and 8:45

Taylor's Dog and Pony Circus

Not a moving picture but a big vaudeville act direct from the Keith circuit of vaudeville theatres. Real Dogs, Ponies and Monkeys. Dogs that do everything but talk. Also "Beauty," the talking Pony. A real one ring circus. Come and see the dogs and ponies perform.

Also playing the big feature picture

"SCHOOL DAYS" Starring Wesley Barry

A picture for everyone from 8 to 80. The story of a boy who thought more of the Old Swimming Hole and his dog than anything else in the world.

Special 2 reel Comedy and "Topics of the Day."

Two big shows for the price of one. Special children's matinee at 4 o'clock. Children 10c, adults 25c. Evening shows at 6:45 and 8:45. Prices 25c and 35c.

Thursday, Nov. 23, at 4, 6:45 and 8:45

The Famous Screen Star

Charles Ray IN "SCRAP IRON"

Charles E. Van Loan's great boxing yarn from the Saturday Evening Post. The story of a boy who had to fight for all he got. Virile drama, sturdy action, human comedy. All in the biggest surprise play Charles Ray ever made. See the finest ring fight ever screened. Four thrilling rounds that will win a cheer from every man and every woman too.

Mack Sennett Comedians in "Home Made Movies."

Also playing for the 2nd big day, **Taylor's Dog and Pony Circus.** New tricks and stunts by the Educated Dogs and Ponies. Vaudeville's big sensation. Don't miss it today. School children's matinee at 4 o'clock. Children 10c, adults 25c. Evening shows at 6:45 and 8:45. Prices 25c and 35c. Come and bring your friends. Don't let your neighbor tell you how good this is. SEE it yourself.

Friday, Nov. 24, at 7 and 8:35

The one and only TOM MIX in the big Western feature

"CHASING THE MOON"

Bill and Bob in Mysterious Tracks

Extra added attraction: **Reginald Denny** in the first round of the famous **Leather Pusher** stories by H. C. Witwer from the Collier's Weekly. A happy combination of sport, society and romance, featuring the most likable character ever filmed, Kane Halliday, alias Kid Roberts. One of the best 2 reel subjects ever shown on the screen. Special bargain prices, 15c and 25c.

Saturday, Nov. 25, at 2, 6:45 and 8:30

Irvin S. Cobb's celebrated story

The $5.00 Baby Starring VIOLA DANA

Viola Dana as an amusing tomboy in a hilarious photoplay

Fox Sunshine Comedy, "Puppy Love." International News.

Matinee, children 10c, adults 25c. Evening 15c and 25c.

COMING NEXT WEEK

Wallace Reid in "The Dictator." James Owen Curwood in "The Golden Snare."
Clara Kimball Young in "The Hands of Nara." Thomas Meighan in "If You Believe It's So."
Norma Talmadge in "The Wonderful Thing." John Gilbert in "The Yellow Stain."

NOTICE.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine. In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of LESLIE A. SIMMONS, of Dixfield, Bankrupt, } In Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Leslie A. Simmons of Dixfield, in the County of Oxford and district aforesaid:

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of Oct., A. D. 1922, the said Leslie A. Simmons was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the Referee, No. 49 Market Square, South Paris, Maine, on the 6th day of Dec., A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

South Paris, November 16, 1922.

WALTER L. GRAY, Referee in Bankruptcy.

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Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the shareholders of the Paris Loan and Building Association will be held at the office of the Secretary, South Paris, on Tuesday, Dec. 12, 1922, at five o'clock P. M., to see if the shareholders will vote to change the name of the Association to Oxford County Loan and Building Association or some other name.

Upon request of the President,

WALTER L. GRAY, Sec.

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OVERCOATS!

Overcoats, all wool,	$15.00
Overcoats, all wool,	18.00
Overcoats, all wool,	25.00
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THE SONG OF THE SIFTER.

Sift, brothers, sift with care,
Sift at the foot of the cellar stair,
Sift in the morning, sift at night,
Sift, till your ashes are sifted, quite.
Sift, brothers, sift with care,
Sift at the foot of the cellar stair.

Sift, though your hair be filled with dust,
Sift, though your back seems fit to bust,
Sift all day should it chance to rain,
Sift 'em once and then sift again.
Sift, brothers, sift with care,
Sift at the foot of the cellar stair.

These are the times that try men's souls,
Sift, and salvage the precious coals,
Sift, and tender Jack Frost a clout,
Sift, and winnow the clinkers out.
Sift 'em well, though it seemeth tough,
Sift, and we'll all have coal enough.
—Kenneth Fuller Lee.

Robert Dennison has a position as substitute clerk in the post office.

The receipts from the recent high school fair amounted to $315.00.

Mrs. Mary Bridge of Mechanic Falls was in this village and vicinity Wednesday.

Spofford Flint went to the Magalloway region Tuesday to serve as a guide for several weeks.

Hon. George C. Wing and George C. Wing, Jr., of Auburn, were at South Paris on business Friday.

Edwin Rounds and Miss Carrie Doyle of Danville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Haynes over the week-end.

Roscoe C. Gray of Athol, Mass., has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Gray, for a few days.

A new Moncrief pipeless furnace has been installed in the home of Mrs. Lillian A. Shaw on Pine Street by W. K. Clifford.

Mrs. O. K. Clifford, Mrs. C. W. Bowker, Mrs. Theodore Thayer and Mrs. Emma W. Mann motored to Portland Monday.

The mill pond has begun skimming over, reminding us that the country will soon be in for the annual list of thin ice drownings.

Asaph J. Richardson, who has been working in Wilton for several weeks, moved his household goods from this village to that place this week.

Miss Helene Pitts of the Central Maine General Hospital, Lewiston, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Pitts, returned to her duties Tuesday.

Harold Moore, violinist in Shaw's Orchestra, is on a three weeks' vacation, visiting his old home in Gilead, and his sister, who lives in Toronto. Harold Staples of Dixfield is substituting in the orchestra.

Mrs. W. H. Bolster of South Weymouth, Mass., is a guest at Mrs. Ada Bolster's. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jack of Woodfords, whom she has been visiting, brought her here Thursday, spending the day here and calling on friends.

The White Mountains showed up clear and white with snow Friday morning. Trainmen arriving in this village Thursday said there was considerable snow at Island Pond, and that the ground was white with it as far south as Shelburne.

L. L. Russell has hired the stable at Hotel Andrews, and will open a livery stable there with a number of horses a little later, when the seasonal conditions have put the kibosh on the gas buggy, and we have to go back to the archaic horse.

A number of cans of trout from the Lake Auburn hatchery, for Moose Pond, Denmark, were unloaded at this station Saturday. They were consigned to Charles E. Cobb of Denmark, camp proprietor, and taken by him to their destination.

W. M. Whitten underwent an operation in Boston on the 11th for the removal of cataract. Though he will necessarily be confined for some time, the operation was successful, and he expects that his sight will be much improved.

There was a dense fog over the village for a short time Wednesday evening. It was so thick only one electric light could be seen looking in any direction, and the headlight on the engine of the Portland express could be seen only as far as the Gothic Street crossing as it approached the station in this village.

At the next regular meeting of the Ladies of the G. A. R., Nov. 25th, the president and inspector of the G. A. R. of Maine will visit us. And we hope the ladies of our circle will make a special effort to be present. At 6 o'clock a supper will be served, at which the veterans are most cordially invited.

Mt. Pleasant Past Grand Association is invited to meet with Mrs. Sarah Parlin at her home Tuesday of this week, Nov. 21st. A covered dish supper will be served at 6:30 followed by a business meeting, then a social time together. It is hoped to see all the past grands present with their covered dish.

Howard Shaw and his orchestra will play this week on Tuesday night at Buckfield; Wednesday night at Harris Hill; Thursday night at Mountain Club House; Friday night at West Minot; and Saturday night at Norway Grange Hall. At West Minot the Buckfield Grange will repeat their drama with a dance following.

A. F. Goldsmith brought in one of the best deer of the season from Albany Thursday morning, a buck which dressed 200. He and Benjamin B. Twitchell left home in the early morning, jumped the deer soon after they had got to hunting, and were home again with their game at half-past nine, having been gone less than five hours.

Pupils in the Shurtleff School, 4th grade, having 100 per cent spelling for the past week: Marion Kenney, Hazel Mosher, Ava Grant, Pauline Paine, Shirley DeCoster, Alberta Page, Ruth Morse, Evelyn Record, Austin Record, Ceylon Seely, Stanley Foster, Gordon Thayer, Ralph Corliss, Pearley Swallow, Earle Briggs, Stanley Whitney, Chester Pratt, Gilbert Stevens, Ralph Stiles, Francis Martin, Stevens Thomas, Marjory Powers.

Prof. William R. Chapman of Bethel was in this village and Norway Thursday. His trip was a business one rather than musical. Prof. Chapman owns twenty-three wood and timber lots and complains of the increase in taxation. He says it has increased nine hundred per cent within a few years. That is, he has a lot which, when he bought it several years ago, was taxed $40 and is now taxed $400. He also has a farm, which with stock, buildings, tools, etc., stands him $40,000, which he says pays no dividend.

One of the social events of the past week was a shower to Miss Eva Frechette given by Mrs. Gladys Starbird, in honor of her approaching marriage to Frank B. Burnet. A good time was enjoyed and Miss Frechette received many pretty and useful presents. Those present were Mrs. Nettie Walker, Mrs. Mary E. Davis, Mrs. Carrie McKeen, Mrs. Marjory V. Deten, Mrs. Bertha Bell, Mrs. Angie V. Johnson, Mrs. Gertrude Starbird, Miss Bernice Simpson, Miss Edith Walker and Miss Lottie Libby. Ice cream and cake were served.

The November meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Tuesday evening, Nov. 21st, at Deering Memorial Church at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Cora Pennell True will give a talk on her recent trip to Guatemala. Mrs. True has traveled extensively in her own country as well as foreign, and her evening with us is looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure. The public is cordially invited to be present, especially the students of Paris High School, where Mrs. True is a teacher. A musical program in charge of Mrs. Ida Neal and Mrs. Bertha Abbott will be given. Leaders, Mrs. T. M. Davis, Mrs. Helen Briggs.

John L. Penley has purchased the house of Albert L. Morse on Main Street.

Roger Davis of "Our Store" arrived home from New York Monday morning.

Mrs. Etta Bradford of Turner was the guest of relatives in this village Wednesday.

"Not a Man in the House" will be the entertainment at the Baptist vestry Thursday, Dec. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving O. Barrows were in Portland over the week-end, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Millett.

Theodore Thayer has begun the work of remodeling the ground floor of Davis Block, to which he will later move his market.

John Porter is in the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary in Portland for treatment of an eye, which he injured by getting a cinder in it.

The Seneca Club meets this Monday evening with Mrs. Madge Gray, the place of meeting having been changed from that given in the program.

Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley M. Wheeler were in Cambridge, Mass., Saturday, going by automobile, to attend the Brown-Harvard football game.

Miss Flora Murch spent Saturday with Misses Nellie and Mabel Merrill of Lewiston, meeting at luncheon Miss Carrie Miller, president of the Lewiston and Auburn BPW Club.

A great chicken pie supper, the annual fair supper will be held in the vestry of the Universalist church Tuesday evening, December 5. This will be the first supper of its kind in years. Don't miss it.

The regular meeting of Mt. Pleasant Rebekah Lodge will be held Friday evening, Nov. 24. Preceding this meeting a supper will be served to the past officers of the several branches of the order.

Lafayette Dow, who has had a very enjoyable two months traveling in France, is now taking a course of study at Soger Universitaire, Quardictrich, Strasburg. Mr. Dow's brother, Arthur G. Dow, is now located at 5845 Calumet Avenue, Chicago.

Let every one plan to attend the annual Thanksgiving concert at the Congregational church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. All know the obj ct of these concerts, and the great good that is done with the money. Make the offering a generous one.

Sherman T. Oliver has sold his house on Wheeler Street to Mrs. Carrie A. Osgood of Bingham. Mrs. Osgood's husband, Enoch Osgood, is a landscape gardener. The Osgoods have sold their property in Bingham, and they and their household goods arrived here the last of the week, and they are getting settled in their new home.

The Central Oxford Union of the Young People's Christian Union will meet at the South Paris Universalist church next Friday evening at 7:30. This includes the Unions of South Paris, Norway, West Paris and Bethel. The guests will be served with lunch at 6:30. It is hoped that Mrs. M. G. Folsom of Gardiner may be here to address the meeting.

Guideboards to Shagg Pond have been put up by Alton C. Wheeler along the road from South Paris to the pond. The first is at the junction of High and Park Streets, and reads "Shagg Pond 20 Miles." The next is at the Trap Corner turn, and the others at the several turns beyond. This will simplify the directing of strangers over the somewhat crooked route. Incidentally it puts Shagg Pond "on the map."

Freight business over the Grand Trunk Railway, which has been rather light during the summer, is picking up. Quite a number of extra trains running east have passed through the village during the past week. The reason for this is that navigation in the St. Lawrence closes next Saturday, and wheat is being rushed to the Portland elevators to be shipped to Europe when steamers arrive at that port the first of next month.

The following pupils in the Shurtleff Primary received 100 per cent in spelling for the week ending Nov. 17: Third grade, Louise Maxim, Shirley Parsons, Ethel Keehn, Raymond Babineau, Gordon Davis, Walter Martin, Alice Staples, Esther Cummings, Winona Oliver, Frances Lever and Beryl Dudley. Second grade, Barbara Swan, Helen Merrill, Ruth Mills, Josephine Rand, Ella Cummings, Glenna Turner and Eva Smith.

Last week being national cancer week, Dr. E. V. Call of Lewiston was to have spoken here on the subject of cancer at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon. Dr. Call was here as were also a number of persons assembled at the fire station hall to hear him, but the connection didn't work. The one person upon whom Dr. Call depended to guide him was out of town, and he could find no one else who knew about the arrangements, so he had to leave without locating his audience.

(Additional local news on page 1.)

Baptist Church Notes.

"The King's Daughters" met last Friday afternoon and elected their officers for the coming season:

Pres.—Wilda Cole.
Vice-Pres.—Gertrude Titus.
Sec.—Lucile Cole.
Treas.—Rachel Parlin.
Reporter—Musa Taylor.

The Ladies' Aid will have an all-day meeting next Thursday at Mrs. J. H. Stuart's. Matters of importance to be attended to.

The sale of aprons, candy, food and fancy articles will be held on Thursday, Dec. 14, in the vestry. In the evening the farce, "Not a Man in the House," will be played.

Walter Z. Brown.

As the result of a shock, Walter Z. Brown died at his home in Chicago Monday evening, Nov. 11, at the age of 67 years. Mr. Brown was formerly a resident of South Paris, having been employed for some time in the insurance office of the late William J. Wheeler. He married Miss Mabel G. Phelps of Paris. They had five children, of whom three are now living, one son, Edwin, and two daughters, Edith, formerly a frequent visitor in South Paris, now married, and Mildred, who is an invalid. Mrs. Brown died some years ago, and Mr. Brown subsequently married a second wife, who survives him. The funeral and burial were in Chicago.

Skillings Avenue Sewer.

Starting credit of the sewer account	$278 75
Paid in during the week	105 00
	$383 75
Amount expended to date	382 95
	$ 80

This leaves a balance of 80 cents in the sewer account. There are unpaid tapping fees of $150.00. If this is paid in to the treasurer by Monday night I will continue the sewer to Gothic Street.

CHARLES W. BOWKER, Agent.

A Seventeen-Ounce Baldwin.

Pretty nearly the king apple of the year must be a Baldwin which H. N. Porter raised. It girths 13 inches one way and 13 1-4 inches the other, and weighs 17 ounces. Mr. Porter has raised thousands of barrels of apples, but says this is the largest Baldwin he ever saw. Placed beside a 2 1-4 inch apple, which under the Maine law gets by as a No. 1, it looks like an elephant beside a Shetland pony. It grew on a young tree which had not borne before, and was the only apple on the tree, right in the middle of the top.

Rouse-Foss.

At the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. C. G. Miller, Wednesday evening, Nov. 15, Charles Bernard Rouse of Waltham, Mass., and Bulah May Foss of South Paris were united in marriage. The young couple will make their home in South Paris.

McAllister-Russell.

Saturday evening, Nov. 18, the wedding of Fred Erastus McAllister of Oxford and Gertrude P. Russell of Mechanic Falls was solemnized at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Chester G. Miller.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Under the laws of the state it will be necessary for me to advertise all real estate upon which taxes are not paid on or before the 12th of December.

47-49 HARRY M. SHAW, Tax Collector.

The Community Club.

Mrs. Henry W. Lyon gave a travelogue on Hawaii at the meeting Tuesday afternoon. In speaking of this land of enchantment Mrs. Lyon gave a wonderful word painting of the scenery, and made her hearers see the islands in all their tropical beauty. Mrs. Lyon said the early history of the islands is shrouded in mystery, and their early religion was one of fear and the worship of hideous idols, but in 1820 when the missionaries came, their civilization was far in advance of the other islands of the Pacific, and they had abandoned the idols and were ready to embrace the Christian religion.

Mrs. Lyon spoke of the haunting Hawaiian melodies, and said the natives were naturally a musical, beauty-loving people.

In closing Mrs. Lyon gave several interesting and amusing incidents of her life in Honolulu.

The piano solo, "Spring Greetings," by Mrs. Harold Abbott, was much enjoyed. Tea was served by the hospitality committee.

The board of government meeting is Monday, Nov. 27, at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Madge W. Gray.

Brick School.

Pupils gaining 100 per cent in spelling for the week:

Grade 8, Bernice Thurlow, Toini Cummings, Martha Barrows, Clara Nevers, Jennie Swett, Ralph Davis, Ernest Libby, Etta Knightly, Ethel Reid, Thelma Holt, Mae Penfold, Ina Chapman, Zilpha Doran, Harley Bell, Francis Edwards, Cecil Abbott, Ava Hatch, Bessie Corbett, Minola Dean.

Grade 7, Barbara Beede, Geneva North, Lenise Cummings, Wilda Cole, Annie North, Olive Marston, Marion Allen, Edwin Whitney, Francis Rowe, Alice Harriman.

Grade 6, Preston Cummings, Aarne Cummings, Geraldine Bennett, Norine Bryant, Stephen Russell, Nelson Haskell, Lillian Wing, Ella Heikkinen, Kathryn Greene, Georgia Maxim, Reta Shaw, Lawrence Cushman, Frances Knight, Junior Hayden.

Grade 5, Eleanor Haskell, Eileen Pratt, Greta Merrill, Howard Twitchell.

The Rallie Class.

The Rallie Class of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Alton Jacobs, South Paris, Thursday, Nov. 16.

The afternoon was spent in making aprons, and a covered dish supper was served at 6:30.

At the business meeting in the evening the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Pres.—Mrs. Anna Jacobs.
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Eva Ordway.
Sec.—Mrs. Lulu Merrill.
Treas.—Mrs. Ethel Knight.
Flower Com.—Mrs. Berdie Robertson.
Press Reporter—Mrs. Emma Mann.
Executive Com.—Mrs. Ivy Morton, Mrs. Mildred Cole, Miss Ruth Stuart.
Work Com.—Mrs. Helen Briggs, Mrs. Reba Thurlow, Mrs. Lizzie Millett.

It was voted to hold an apron sale in March.

It was voted to give the sum of $18 towards paying for coal for the church.

Norway Municipal Court.

The action of Lovilla Hudson vs. Margery Lowe was before Judge William F. Jones in the Norway Municipal Court last week. Both parties live in Bryant's Pond. W. G. Conary appeared for the plaintiff and Albert Beliveau for the defence. The defendant rents a house of the plaintiff and had been warned out. The defence showed that rent had been accepted after being warned out. A new contract was also shown where a new price of the rent had been made. Verdict for the defence.

Zilford Burgess and James C. Spoon were before the court last week charged with assault on Merle Swan of Grafton and robbery of $10.00. Burgess was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Benjamin R. Billings and Spoon by Deputy Sheriff Charles L. Davis. Both pleaded not guilty to the charge. Bail was placed at $500, which they were unable to get so were committed.

George H. Buswell.

George H. Buswell, formerly of Norway, died at his home in Portland Thursday morning. He had been suffering with heart trouble which resulted in a shock about a week ago. The funeral was held at Community Hall, Norway, on Saturday afternoon. Burial was in Pine Grove Cemetery.

Born.

In Paris, Nov. 10, to the wife of Roscoe F. Marston, a son, Lloyd William.
In Rumford, Nov. 9, to the wife of George Kilgore, a daughter.
In Norway, Nov. 8, to the wife of George J. LaFrance, a son.
In Norway, Nov. 17, to the wife of A. G. Parrin, a daughter.

Married.

In South Paris, Nov. 15, by Rev. Chester G. Miller, Charles Bernard Rouse and Miss Bulah May Foss, both of South Paris.
In South Paris, Nov. 18, by Rev. Chester G. Miller, Fred Erastus McAllister of Oxford and Miss Gertrude P. Russell of Mechanic Falls.
In Rumford, Nov. 6, George Boissoneault and Miss Mary Louise Arsenault, both of Rumford.
In Bridgton, Nov. 15, Leon S. Harmon and Miss Pearl E. Taylor, both of Lovell.
In Bridgton, Nov. 11, Clayton Turner of Sweden and Miss Christine Fox of Bridgton.

Died.

In Wallingford, Conn., Nov. 12, Mrs. Carrie Foster Post, formerly of Buckfield.
In Rumford, Nov. 14, Miss Maud McInnis, aged 29 years.
In Augusta, Nov. 13, Mrs. Harriett L. Brackett of Oxford, aged 61 years.
In Portland, Nov. 13, Mrs. Lydia R. Whitten, formerly of Buckfield, aged 97 years.
In Chicago, Nov. 13, Walter Z. Brown, formerly of South Paris, aged 67 years.
In Brockton, Mass., Nov. 15, Henry H. Barrows of Whitman, Mass., formerly of Sumner, aged 66 years.
In Wilson's Mills, Nov. 12, Albert Frothingham of Berlin, N. H.
In Rumford, Nov. 16, Mrs. Dellia McLaughlin, aged 85 years.
In West Minot, Nov. 19, Mrs. Christina D. Page, formerly of Hebron, aged 86 years.
In Bethel, Nov. 18, Owen Dustin.
In Canton, Nov. 18, George Wallingford, aged 69 years.
In Somerville, Mass., Nov. , Mrs. Marion M. Woodbury, aged 62 years.
In Togus, Nov. 8, George B. Smith, formerly of Canton, aged 78 years.

NORWAY.

Dr. E. V. Call of Lewiston lectured on "The Cancer" in the municipal court room Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Ira Harriman left last week to spend the winter in California. On the way she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Caddigan in Reading, Mass., and another daughter, Mrs. Crystal Davis, in Springvale, Mont. She will pass the winter at Los Gatos. Before her return she will visit her son, G. Ralph Harriman, and family, at Visalia, Calif.

Arthur Harriman is making extensive repairs to the Sampson cottage on Hill Street, which he recently bought.

Fred G. Young has leased the kitchen and dining room at Norway Inn and opened for business.

William Downing of Tampa, Fla., with his cousin, Kenneth C. Gurney of this place, started on an auto trip to Florida on Thursday. The journey will be 1470 miles from Boston and will occupy fourteen days.

Mrs. Clara Snow, who has been spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Cummings, has returned to her home in Auburn.

The Browning Reading Club will meet this Monday evening with Mrs. James Favor. The roll call will be responded to by Thanksgiving dainties, and readings will be given by Mrs. James Favor and Mrs. Charles Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Downing spent a few days last week with Mr. Downing's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Downing.

Mrs. H. L. Horne has returned to Norway after having spent several weeks with relatives in Portland and Massachusetts.

A. L. Buck was in Boston a few days last week.

Miss Annie Cross recently visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Brooks, in South Bethel.

Sherbourn York has been visiting relatives in Canton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ramsell and two daughters, of Bethel, were recent guests of friends in town.

That part of Elm Street between Charles Buswell's and the Cullinan bungalow has been raised three feet and a culvert put in.

Carl Foss and Scott Palmer have some five thousand live shiners in their float.

George F. Hathaway has been drawn one of the grand jurors for the United States District Court in Portland for the December term.

Rev. O. E. Barnard with daughter Mary went to Wait's River, Vt., Tuesday, to visit his father, Rev. O. L. Barnard, who is recovering from a shock received several months ago.

Mrs. Nellie P. Gammage of Portland will inspect Elizabeth Crockett Blake Tent, Daughters of Veterans, Friday evening. A buffet lunch will be served in charge of Mrs. Nettie Nevers, Mrs. Mildred M. Nevers, Mrs. Tena McAllister and Mrs. Lola McAllister.

Misses Grace Howard and Gladys Starbird were delegates from the Norway Epworth League to the district convention in Monmouth Friday and Saturday.

A fire got started in the Alice Rolfe wood lot in Northwest Norway Tuesday and a brigade of fire fighters from the village were sent to the scene of the conflagration.

Mrs. T. C. Chapman and Mrs. C. I. Philbrook were delegates from the local auxiliary of the Methodist church to the district meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society, which was held Thursday in Hammond Street Methodist church in Lewiston.

The aggies at the high school are to form a basket ball team at their next club meeting which will be Friday.

Mrs. Emma Berry of West Paris spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Jackson, in this village last week.

C. Lowell Barnes has sold the Alberta cafe to J. A. Monroe and G. A. Poirier, who have been operating cafetarias in New Jersey and Florida.

At the annual meeting of the Wild Cats at the Barker Farm, the following officers were elected:

Pres.—Dr. Harry P. Jones.
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Annie Favor.
Sec. and Treas.—Mrs. Georgia Swain.

Mrs. Hattie Everett and daughter, Miss Emily, are in Haverhill, Mass., for a few days.

The past matrons of Oxford Chapter, O. E. S., have organized, and under their auspices a card and dancing party will be held at Masons' Hall Wednesday evening of this week. It is open to all Masons and their families, and all members of the Eastern Star and their families. The proceeds will go toward the relief fund of Oxford Chapter.

(Additional Norway locals on page 1.)

Congregational Church.

The Congregational church of Norway elected the following officers at their recent roll call:

Clerk—Dr. A. W. Easton.
Standing Committee—H. I. Holt, C. W. Chick, Mrs. Edna Longley, Mrs. Leon Emery, Mrs. Charles Libby.
Pastor's Aid—Mrs. Alice Stearns, Mrs. Edith Bartlett, Miss Hattie Sawyer, Mrs. Henry Howe, G. F. Stone, L. I. Gilbert, C. L. DeCoster.

A huge summer camp for children, under care of the northern New England division of the Salvation Army, will be built on the Maine coast at a cost of about $200,000, according to announcement of Maj. Thomas E. Hughes. An anonymous benefactor of the army is to provide the funds. Children selected by the army will be given vacations at this camp. Its location is at Christmas Cove, near Boothbay Harbor. The northern district of the army embraces Maine, New Hampshire and Massachusetts as far as the Merrimac River.

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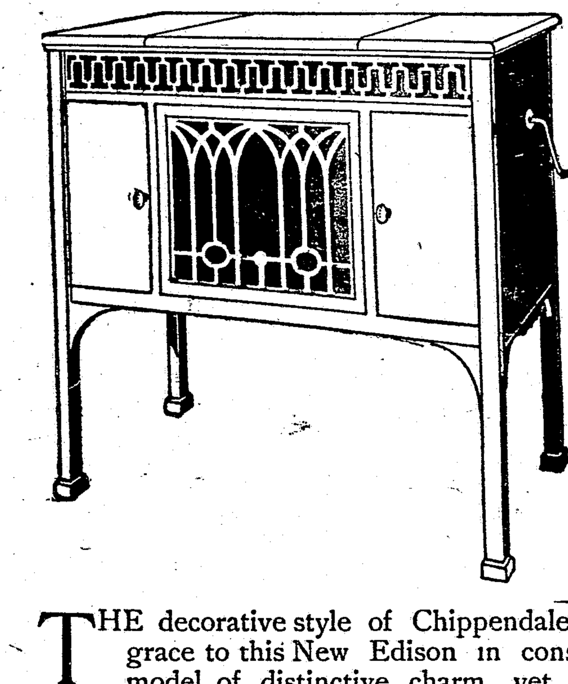
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An Ultra Modern Thanksgiving Dinner

(By Jeannette Young Norton.)

New England, and the old-fashioned Thanksgiving dinner, has had its day, and its revivals have done it to death; why not try a modern dinner this year, and an ultra modern one at that, and see what it does to the reminiscent traditioners of the family? There are a lot of new things and new ways of doing old things that might as well be making their own history, and this is a good place to "start something."

Begin by setting the table with one of the dainty embroidered sets, or the Bohemian long and cross-runner sets, with napkins to match, that have cast the heavy, formal damask cloth into outer darkness for the time being. Lay flat silver enough for only three of the modern five courses. For this occasion use a fruit bowl, or basket, for a centerpiece with real fruit in it, selecting that which is as colorful as possible, to suggest the bounteous harvest for which we are giving thanks. At either side of the fruit basket set a candy jar, and beyond the jars at either end of the long table, place one of the modern relish-dishes containing as many kinds as there are dishes to hold them. A water and cider glass are the only ones prohibition has left to us, so place them as usual at the head of the two knives. The modern service plate is one of the new papier-mache variety, having a delicate colored border peeping out from the lace paper doily. On this plate stands the dainty fluted paper, jellied bouillon cup, and beside it, in a wee paper case, is the hors d'oeuvre, or canape, of the meal. Or if raw oysters or clams are served on the half shell, they circle the bouillon cup and are served without ice; previously chilled and dipped in the usual sauce they are very attractive served in this new way. This course removed, the dishes and all but the little forks go into the discard. The fish follows in ramekins of paper on a smaller paper plate and again there is nothing but the forks to wash; the butter plates and spreaders remain through the four courses.

Then comes a very modern plate course, the largest plates being used, and not necessarily those of the sectional type. There is a generous slice of stuffed and boned turkey, placed on a thin slice of delicately baked ham, a small mound of cranberry jelly, candied sweet and mashed white potatoes, creamed cauliflower, and a baked onion. Gravy with the giblets chopped through it, celery, and hot raised biscuit are the only things passed with this course. A perfect dinner with no confusion, no distressing antics of an amateur carver, with his frenzied efforts to remember who likes light and who the dark meat, while the bird, its bare knees lifted heavenward, awaits dismemberment. No wonder the Chinese never allow this thing to be done in public. The plate service does away with all the side dishes, and the presence of a waitress at one's elbow constantly, interrupting the even flow of conversation.

The plate course is followed by a chosen delectable salad served on the paper plates, covered with the lace paper doilies, with the crackers and cheese, cheese balls or straw on the side. Again there is only the fork to salvage and wash. The plum pudding or pies follow, accompanied by excellent coffee, on the fancy papier-mache plates, and this leaves only the plate course, plates, cups, saucers, and flat ware to wash, a big dinner with but the least possible trouble in serving and scarcely any dishes to do.

The great advantage of the boned turkey, besides being easy and exact to carve, is that after it is prepared, with the sinews drawn from the legs, it may be boned, stuffed with any of the favorite stuffings, onion and sage, oyster, chestnut, or potato, the legs, wings and neck drawn inside and perfectly trussed. Then when the bird is roasted it carves perfectly without a bit of waste, and all the bones and trimmings are available for the soup stock. A very sharp knife, in expert hands, makes a perfect job of the carving.

Individual jellies save waste, dishes and extra service. Vegetables prepared and perfectly seasoned are easily served in exact quantities and without extra dishes and service. Salads are always prettier served individually than in the old-fashioned salad bowl. Second helpings have long since been out of date, and in bad form, so why the extra serving dishes?

Some one may say, but I like my plum, suet or cabinet pudding whole, but it is not served that way nowadays at the modern table; individual portions are much more attractive and save the trouble of serving it on the table when there are a number to be served. Even the sauce comes on the pudding. If pie, mince or pumpkin, is used, then a piece of each makes a portion, not an old-fashioned "cut" of pie, but both pieces forming a three-inch wedge. Strange to say, a dinner, individually served, costs less in proportion than one served in the old way, for everything is divided equally without haste and embarrassment and no waste results. The turkey hash is just as big a possibility, but all there is to do for it is to chop the left-over, and moisten it with the gravy, which will flavor and thicken it just right.

In marketing for this dinner the housekeeper knows just where she stands, for she is catering for so many portions with just a little bit extra in case of an accident. Modern dinners do not allow of extra guests, generally. If it is to be a tomato salad, then one for each portion is needed, each pie cuts into eight narrow pieces, one ham boiled, baked and carefully carved goes a great way feeding many guests, and so on down the line.

A dinner given along these ultra modern lines will be attractive, good to eat, less expensive than in the old way; is easily served, and far more pleasure to give and attend than one of the laborious, old-fashioned kind that tradition has dogged our footsteps with ever since the passengers of the "Mayflower" gathered their first harvest in the new world.

Decorating the Thanksgiving Table.

(By Julia W. Wolfe.)

Good cheer is added to the Thanksgiving feast if a little time and thought are given to the decoration of the table. To the fastidious taste the crude colors, and vivid effects obtained by a too great use of tissue paper and cheap, ready-made favors, have an anything but pleasing effect, while by the expenditure of even less money a really artistic decoration is often achieved.

It is well to bear in mind the significance of the feast we are celebrating, its ancient origin, as well as the season of the year in which it falls, for whose abundant crops and fruits we are truly thankful. Therefore, anything significant of Colonial days, the time of the Indians, or the season of plenty is especially appropriate.

If you are the possessor of a genuine Indian basket, nothing makes a more suitable container for a variety of fruits, which, owing to their rich and glowing colors, are highly decorative and equally appropriate. The basket, piled high with oranges, red apples, golden pears, etc., is colorful and attractive, and with the additional trimmings of autumn leaves, makes a charming centerpiece.

Or a small pumpkin can be cut in halves and hollowed out, using one-half to hold the fruit; decorate with autumn leaves. Grapes go well here.

If you live near woods, fill a large glass bowl with oak leaves, sprinkling among them sprays of bittersweet, branches of dogwood berries, or anything that has color. It should not be high, and the arrangement of the leaves should entirely conceal the bowl if possible.

Golden brown chrysanthemums are best, but have the disadvantage of forming too high a centerpiece, which is never good for the dinner table; but by using a low silver bowl, and a perforated holder, this may be partially obviated. Cut the stems as short as possible, and arrange the flowers *en masse*, using a great many.

A horn of plenty, overflowing with luscious fruits, while not very original, is always appropriate for the Thanksgiving table. Crystal drop candlesticks are especially suitable for the table, too.

The Salacious Newspapers Indicted.

The article below is an editorial from a recent issue of the Publishers' Auxiliary. This is a trade paper, or perhaps more strictly a "house organ," published by a concern which gets the main part of its patronage from the country papers of the land. Naturally therefore the paper would have a kindly feeling toward the country papers. But without regard to the considerations which inspired the editorial, there is a whole lot of truth in it.

Our neighboring county of Franklin has recently had two or three murder mysteries which are as yet unsolved. One of the latest has been taken out of the murder category by the officials and placed in the suicide column, though this decision is not universally accepted, and the substitution of suicide for murder substitutes one mystery for another.

But however that may be, what we started to say was that these murders, or deaths from whatever cause, have been treated as news just to the extent that they were of interest locally. The state papers have covered the ground pretty thoroughly, but the interest wanes with distance, like the waves on a pebble-stirred pool, and the great sensation-mongering papers have found in it little meat for their dish.

But supposing there had been "a woman in the case"! The hotel facilities of the region would have been swamped by the influx of brilliant reporters from the metropolitan papers. And if there had been definitely involved an illicit sex relation, then Jay, Maine, would have figured on the front pages of the papers all over the land, and would have become as well known to the readers as has New Brunswick, N. J.

The country newspaper gets some criticism and some ridicule for its apparent trivialities and other characteristics essential or incidental. But without self-righteousness the publisher of the small paper, reflecting the life of the community and emphasizing the best there is in it, may feel that in his way he is doing more for the public welfare than is the big metropolitan sheet which feeds on sensation, hunts for the salacious, and panders to man's viler imaginings.

With which somewhat voluminous introduction the editorial referred to is given below.

A ROMAN HOLIDAY.

The old problem of how far a newspaper is justified in publishing news again is brought to attention by the duplicate homicides, in which ministers and women with whom their names have been connected, have enlivened the front pages of the metropolitan dailies of this fair land within the past month. That the "bishop of all outdoors" would be alive to-day had the papers played down the New Jersey murders there must be little question. Whether, supposing all that is presumed by the editors running the stories, any of the lives were worth saving does not enter into the question. The two lives in the West were sacrificed to the insatiable maw of modern journalism.

Editors of to-day who pose as wearers of the togas of Dana, Bennett, Greeley, Watterson and those other sane guides of popular thought of the Nineteenth century, will justify their use of the stories by saying that their use acts as a deterrent on others who would forsake the straight and narrow path. Does anybody believe that? Shakespeare says "Cold water cannot cure love," nor do we think cold publicity is any more effective.

Those who have been behind the scenes of a metropolitan daily are familiar with the excitement of those on the staff who are hot on the trail of a love murder; the stories of journalistic bloodhounds who have been on the scene and who have pawed over the horrid properties of the shambles; the loathly incidents uncovered by purloined letters from private receptacles; the joy with which a tale of incest is received.

Recently we reread "Tom Jones," that interdicted classic of Henry Fielding's. We cannot but feel that the worst passages in that book are better than the first pages of the present-day popular literature as expressed by our metropolitan dailies and carried for them by the famous news associations who "point with pride" to their achievements.

Of course all this is prudish. News papers will continue to hunt the salacious and publish it without a thought of the reactions of the multitude. Many of those now going about the ordinary business of life are doing so with the feeling they may be the next victims. But we do not think a solitary piece of good will come of all this publicity. It merely means that more victims are being demanded by that Moloch of Modernism, the metropolitan daily.

The country editor can assoil his soul with the thought that his paper goes out into the world clean and sane and that he is not required to earn his living by tossing another victim into the arena to be butchered to make a Roman holiday.

BOSTON MARKET REVIEW

For Week Ending Nov. 11, 1922

Prepared by U. S. Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates

Dairy and Poultry Products: Butter market rules firm on all grades, both fresh and storage. Greatest activity is being shown on storage as many of the buyers have turned to this class of goods. There has been a fair amount of trading during the week, but buyers show very little inclination to buy beyond immediate needs. Western Extras fresh 49c, storage 45c, northern extra 49 1-2—50c. Cheese market continues about steady with trading very quiet, as the buyers on the whole are very conservative in their purchases. Wisconsin primary markets were reported easier on Monday which caused an easier feeling to develop on this market and dealers in some quarters were inclined to shade prices a trifle on fresh arrivals. Twins 26-26 3-4c, Daisies 25 1-2—26 1-2c. Young Americas 25 1-2—26 1-2c. Eggs continue firm on top grades and steady on others. Demand and movement mostly on finer quality fresh goods with liberal offerings of ordinary and medium grades, but buyers show very little interest in anything other than fine goods. Ordinary receipts 30—44c. Firsts 45—52c, Extra firsts 53—62c, Extras 63—70c. Storage eggs moving out slowly for immediate use with very little inclination on the part of the buyers to speculate. Refrigerators firsts 28 1-2—29 1-2c. Extra firsts 30—30 1-2c. Some extra fine quality Aprils selling occasionally at 31—31 1-2c. Dressed poultry arrivals consist largely of chickens, and the market is slightly easier on the lighter wts. Heavy fowl rule about steady (4 1-2—6 lb.) 33—35c. Chicken (3—3 1-2 lb. av.) 27—28c with (4—5 lb. av.) 34—45c. Broilers short (2 lb. av.) 33—40c (2 1-2—3 lb. av.) 32—34c. Live poultry about steady with supplies of choice fowl short and wanted. Much of stock arriving shows poorer quality. Fowl 20—24c. Chickens 20—22c. Leghorns 18—20c.

Fruits and Vegetables: Trading has continued quiet, with spinach and potatoes the only leading commodities to show any advance in price. Native: Apples steady at $2.50—3.00 a bu. box for good McIntosh, and $1.25—$1.50 for Baldwins. White cabbage weak at 75c—$1.00, but Savoy cabbage firm at $1.00—$1.25 a barrel. Cauliflower steady $1.50—$2.25 a box. Celery steady at $2.25—$3.00 a box for white and $3.25—3.75 for Pascal. Cucumbers lower at $4.00—8.00 a box. Lettuce lower at 75—85c a box. Radishes firm at $2.75—$3.00 a box. Spinach firm at 50—75c a box. Squash a trifle firmer at $2.50—$3.00 a barrel. Root vegetables dull at the following prices a bushel: Beets $1.25—$1.50; carrots, 75c—$1.00; parsnips, $1.00—$1.50; turnips, 75c—$1.00.

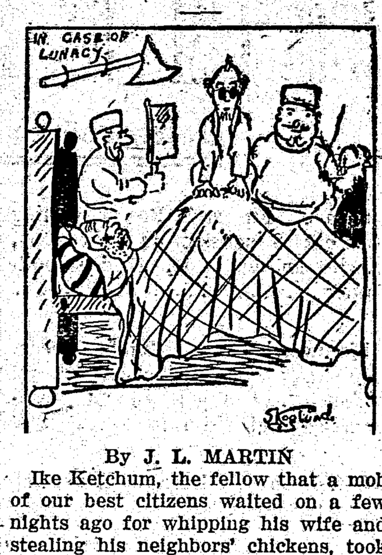
Shipped in: Norfolk green beans lower at $2.50—$3.50 a 5 peck hamper. New York State Danish cabbage lower at $15.00—$18.00 a ton or $1.00—$1.15 a barrel. Massachusetts cranberries weak at $11.00—$12.50 a barrel for the best stock. New York State Concord grapes slightly higher at 60—65c a 12 qt. basket. Idaho iceberg lettuce declined, then recovered to $5.00—$5.50 a crate. Michigan onions slightly stronger at $1.85—$2.00 and Massachusetts onions at $1.25—$1.35 per 100 lb. bag. New York State Kieffer pears higher at $2.50—$3.00 a barrel. Maine Green Mountain potatoes slightly higher at $1.50—$1.60 per 100 lb. sack. Baltimore spinach higher at $1.15 a bu. basket and Norfolk spinach at $3.00 a barrel. Virginia sweet potatoes lower at $1.62 1-2—$1.75 a barrel.

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Daily Thought.

No one returns with good will to the place which has done him a mischief.—Phasedrus.

BILL SAM'S DICTIONARY



By J. L. MARTIN

Ike Ketchum, the fellow that a mob of our best citizens waited on a few nights ago for whipping his wife and stealing his neighbors' chickens, took a big dose of carbolic acid through mistake the following morning. Although all the doctors of Taterhill and Hog Creek Ford did their best, Ike didn't die until last night.

CARBOLIC ACID: A deadly drug used in killing disease germs, committing suicide and getting rid of other infections. Bill Sam's Dictionary, page 212.

Observatories Long Used.

Observatories are a very ancient invention. The first historical observatory was founded in Alexandria about 300 B. C. and Europe did not follow suit until 472 A. D.

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CORROBORATION

Of Interest to South Paris Readers.

For months South Paris citizens have seen in these columns enthusiastic praise of Doan's Kidney Pills by South Paris residents. Would these prominent people recommend a remedy that had not proven reliable? Would they confirm their statements after years had elapsed if personal experience had not shown the remedy to be worthy of endorsement? The following statement should carry conviction to the mind of every South Paris reader.

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STATE OF MAINE.

COUNTY OF OXFORD, ss.

To the Honorable Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court next to be held at Paris, within and for said County of Oxford, on the second Tuesday of February, A. D. 1923.

Harriet L. Daniels of Dixfield, in said county, wife of Dexter F. Daniels, respectfully represents: that her maiden name was Harriet L. Holt; that she was lawfully married to the said Dexter F. Daniels at Los Angeles, in the State of California, on December twenty-sixth A. D. 1912, by James J. Myers, a clergyman; that they lived together as husband and wife at said Los Angeles, at Portland, Oregon, Chicago and Moline, Illinois, Washington, D. C., and in Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, until the thirty-first day of May A. D. 1919; that your libelant has always conducted herself towards her said husband as a faithful, true and affectionate wife; that the libelee has been guilty of cruel and abusive treatment towards your libelant; that the residence of the libelee is not known to your libelant and cannot be ascertained by reasonable diligence; that there is no collusion between your libelant and the said Dexter F. Daniels to obtain a divorce; that your libelant has resided in Dixfield, in said state, for more than one year prior to the commencement of these proceedings; wherefore she prays that a divorce may be decreed between her and the said Dexter F. Daniels for the cause above set forth and that she may assume her name by a former marriage, to wit, Harriet L. Stockbridge.

Dated at Rumford this seventh day of November A. D. 1922.

HARRIETTE L. DANIELS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this seventh day of November A. D. 1922.

ALBERT BELIVEAU,
Justice of the Peace.

(SEAL)

State of Maine.

COUNTY OF OXFORD, SS:

Supreme Judicial Court, in Vacation, November 14, A. D. 1922.

UPON THE FOREGOING LIBEL, ORDERED, That the Libelant give notice to the said Dexter F. Daniels to appear before the Justice of our Supreme Judicial Court, to be holden at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the second Tuesday of February, A.D. 1923, by publishing an attested copy of said libel, and this order thereon, three weeks successively in the Oxford Democrat, a newspaper printed in Paris, in our County of Oxford, the last publication to be 30 days at least prior to said second Tuesday of Feb., A. D. 1923, that he may there and then in our said Court appear and show cause, if any he have why the prayer of said libelant should not be granted.

SCOTT WILSON,
Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court.

A true copy of the libel and order of court thereon.

Attest: DONALD B. PARTRIDGE, Clerk.

[SEAL.] 47-49

STATE OF MAINE.

COUNTY OF OXFORD, ss:

To the Honorable Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court, next to be held at Paris, within and for said county, on the second Tuesday of February, 1923.

Henry O. Eliason of St. Johnsbury, in the County of Caledonia and State of Vermont, husband of Josephine Marion Eliason, respectfully represents that he was lawfully married to the said Josephine Marion Eliason of Rochester, New Hampshire, on October 18th, A. D. 1906, by Leslie R. Danforth; that they lived together as husband and wife at Massachusetts and in the State of Maine from the time of their said marriage until the fifteenth day of August, 1915; that your libellant has always conducted himself towards his said wife as a faithful, true and affectionate husband; that on the said fifteenth day of August, 1915, the said Josephine Marion Eliason utterly deserted your libellant without cause and went to parts unknown to him, since which time he has never seen or heard from her, that said utter desertion has continued for three consecutive years prior to the filing of this libel; that her residence is unknown to your libellant and cannot be ascertained by reasonable diligence; that there is no collusion between your libellant and the said Josephine Marion Eliason to obtain a divorce; wherefore he prays that a divorce may be decreed between him and the said Josephine Marion Eliason for the cause above set forth.

Dated at Winchendon, October 4th, 1922.

HENRY O. ELIASON.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Worcester, ss.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this fourth day of October A. D. 1922.

SIDNEY W. ARMSTRONG,
Notary Public.
My Commission expires Sept. 21, 1928.

[SEAL.]

(Seal.)

STATE OF MAINE.

COUNTY OF OXFORD, SS:

Supreme Judicial Court, in Vacation. November 16, A. D. 1922.

UPON THE FOREGOING LIBEL, ORDERED, That the Libelant give notice to the said Josephine Marion Eliason to appear before the Justice of our Supreme Judicial Court to be holden at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the second Tuesday of February, A. D. 1923, by publishing an attested copy of said libel, and this order thereon, three weeks successively in the Oxford Democrat, a newspaper printed in Paris, in our County of Oxford, the last publication to be 30 days at least prior to said second Tuesday of February, 1923, that she may there and then in our said Court appear and show cause, if any she have, why the prayer of said Libelant should not be granted.

SCOTT WILSON,
Justice of the Sup. Jud. Court.

A true copy of the libel and order of court thereon.

Attest: DONALD B. PARTRIDGE, Clerk.

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$3.25, now $2.50

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N. A. Cummings,
General Merchandise
PARIS, - - MAINE

Statement of the Condition

OF THE

South Paris Savings Bank,

SOUTH PARIS,

October 14, 1922.

J. HASTINGS BEAN, President.
ALBERT W. WALKER, Vice-President.
GEORGE M. ATWOOD, Treasurer.

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	$721,647 81

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United States bonds	$40,779 24
Public funds of Maine	64,347 25
Public funds out of Maine	35,875 00
Railroad bonds of Maine	43,985 00
Railroad bonds out of Maine	139,025 00
Corporation bonds of Maine	144,457 00
Corporation bonds out of Maine	73,181 25
Railroad stock of Maine	10,000 00
Railroad stock out of Maine	1,500 00
Corporation stock of Maine	81,075 00
Corporation stock out of Maine	9,500 00
National bank stock of Maine	18,600 00
Other bank stock of Maine	600 00
Loans on mortgages of real estate	86,048 72
Loans on collateral	4,448 00
Loans to municipalities	7,000 00
Loans to corporations	5,490 00
Cash on deposit	5,186 40
Cash on hand	579 95
	$721,647 81

FRED F. LAWRENCE,
Bank Commissioner. 45-47

STATE OF MAINE.

Treasurer's Office,
State of Maine,
October 29, 1922.

Pursuant to Chap. 10, Sec. 46, of the Revised Statutes, I will sell and convey by deed to the highest bidder, at the Treasurer of State's Office at Augusta, on the twenty-seventh day of November next, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., all the interest of the State in the tracts of land hereinafter described lying in unincorporated townships, said tracts having been forfeited to the State for non-payment of State, County and Forestry District Taxes, certified to the Treasurer of State for the year 1920. The sale and conveyance of each tract will be made subject to a right in the owner or part owner whose rights have been forfeited, to redeem the same at any time within one year after the sale, by paying or tendering to the purchaser his portion of what the purchaser paid therefor at the sale, with interest at the rate of twenty per cent. per annum, from the time of the sale, and one dollar for release, or such owner may redeem his interest by paying as aforesaid to the Treasurer of State, as provided in Chap. 10, Sec. 46, of the Revised Statutes.

No tract, however, will be sold at a price less than the full amount due thereon for such unpaid State, County and Forestry District Taxes, interest and costs, as described in the following schedule:

OXFORD COUNTY.

ANDOVER NORTH SURPLUS, part of, being lots 22 and 23 in said surplus, according to a survey and plan of said surplus made by E. McC. Macy in 1905. Said lots are reputed to be owned by S. A. Abbott and contain one hundred eighty-nine acres, more or less. (189) ..... All 20.45

ANDOVER NORTH SURPLUS, part of, being lot 32 in said surplus, according to a survey and plan of said surplus made by E. McC. Macy in 1905. Said lot is reputed to be owned by the estate of H. C. Abbott and contains one hundred twenty-seven acres, more or less. (127) ..... All 13.76

W. L. BONNEY,
Treasurer of State.

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State of Maine.

To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Rumford, in and for the County of Oxford, on the first Tuesday of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford Democrat, a newspaper published at South Paris, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of December, A. D. 1922, at 9 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Frank P. Withington late of Buckfield, deceased; petition that Morton P. Garland or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased presented by Joseph C. Withington, son and heir.

Dana E. Bishop late of Mexico, deceased; petition that William H. Newell or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased presented by Lillian A. Bishop, widow.

Charles J. Tracy late of Peru, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Nellie L. Gillispie as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said will presented by said Nellie L. Gillispie, the executrix therein named.

Catherine J. Hardy late of Waterford, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Thomas W. Hardy as executor of the same to act without bond as expressed in said will presented by said Thomas W. Hardy, the executor therein named.

Witness, ARETAS E. STEARNS, Judge of said Court at Rumford, this first Tuesday of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty two.

ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

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Ford

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According to a statement just issued by Edsel B. Ford, President of the Ford Motor Company, Detroit, a general reduction of $50.00 a car has been made in the prices of Ford model "T" cars and the Ford one-ton Truck, effective October 17th.

"The revision in prices," said Mr. Ford, "is the result of the increased volume of business which our company has enjoyed during the present year, and also, to the fact that we now own and operate many of our own sources of raw material, which enables us to continue increasing the quality of our product and at the same time keep the price so low that Ford cars are in reach of everybody."

"Our production for 1922 is already in excess of a million, which has been an important factor in bringing down costs. Our present daily output is averaging better than 5,000 cars and trucks, which means a complete Ford car or truck every 5 1-2 seconds of each eight-hour working day. It is in anticipation of this continued demand that price adjustments are again being made in order to keep in effect the policy of selling Ford products at the lowest price consistent with quality."

"Quality, as usual," said Mr. Ford, "will continue to be a prime consideration in the building of Ford cars. As our business has increased we have consistently increased our equipment and manufacturing facilities, so that this price reduction merely reflects the progressive methods which come as a result of increased volume."

"This reduction, which is the sixth since March, 1920, brings the price of the Ford Touring Car from $575, the price in effect early in 1920, to the present extremely low level of $298, which is nearly 50 per cent. less. Corresponding reductions have been made on all other types."

The new prices by types follow:

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Touring, regular,	$298
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Chassis, regular,	235
Coupe, complete,	530
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